ORINDA SUN

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Community Soars Over Halfmark in Red Cross Funds

Orinda's Red Cross drive soared over the halfway mark in funds this week.

Mrs. J. M. Rodwell, drive chairman for Orinda, announced today that although the drive officially closes tomorrow, contributions will be welcome next week — or any other time. She said that the community went over the halfway mark last Friday. Local quota is $8,585.

"Next week we will make a special effort to see people who may have been missed in the canvassing by volunteer workers," she said.

She urged people who wish to contribute to get in touch with her at Orinda 5271 or to mail donations to her at 36 Camino Sobrante.

Red Cross First Aid Class Planned

The Red Cross will give a First Aid Course starting April 23. Orinda Mothers Club is cooperating by conducting a sign-up for this course. It will consist of two hour meetings given twice a week for six weeks on nights chosen by the group. If interested in getting this certificate for First Aid, call Mrs. Glenn Butler, Orinda 2515.

Art Siler Wins In Lions Contest

At the Orinda Lions Club meeting Wednesday night at The Willows, Art Siler won the title of "Representative of Orinda Lions Club" in the club's competition for Acalanes High School students.

Art Siler, Janet Chantler and Bob Burkett, all of Orinda, were the three Acalanes students who participated in the local contest, speaking on "The American Voters' Responsibility."

The winner will compete as the Orinda Lions' representative in the annual Lions Club Student Speakers Contest for Democracy zone competition.

Judges at the Orinda Lions contest were Mrs. Joan Erikson, Orinda School District trustee; Schools Superintendent Joseph L. Sheaff, and Nathan Gray, attorney member of Orinda Lions. Kenneth L. Courtright was contest chairman.

Finals will be at the California-Nevada convention of the Lions at Stockton in June. A $1000 cash scholarship will be awarded the final winner.

Dramateurs Will 'Light Up Sky'

Orinda Dramateurs are all set to "Light Up the Sky."

Perhaps not with searchlights or trick fireworks, but they're sure to make the audience's eyes brighten and sparkle with mirth when they present their latest production, "Light Up the Sky," at Acalanes High School next Friday and Saturday nights at 8:15 p.m.

The complete cast for this Moss Hart comedy is as follows:

Miss Lowell, Lois Brodrick; Carleton Fitzgerald, James Stanislowsky; Frances Black, Betty Vance; Owen Turner, Charles Kleiser; Stella Livingston, Hilda Probert; Peter Sloan, Fred Udall; Sidney Black, Leonard Nachman; Sven, Jaspar Allara; Irene Livingston, Maudie Hammond; Tyler Rayburn, Frank Wright; legionnaire, Bob Anthonisen; William Gallagher, Malcolm Lowman; and a plainclothes man, Don French.

Tickets may be purchased at the door, from members of the cast or from ticket chairman Wirtabel Harris.

Withdraw EBMUD Land from ECC Fire District

Withdrawn by the County Board of Supervisors Monday from the Eastern Contra Costa County Fire Protection District was an area of East Bay Municipal Utility District property generally south and east of Mt. Diablo Boulevard.

The property extends from Davis Road almost to Charles Hill and down to Moraga Meadows. Request for the withdrawal had been made by John W. McFarland, E.B.M.U.D. general manager.

Next step, according to Deputy Clerk Mary A. Smith, is expected to be a resolution of intention by the board to annex the property to the Orinda Fire District. Such annexation was suggested by McFarland in his withdrawal request.

Fleager to Speak To Improvement Club

C. E. Fleager of Orinda, president of Contra Costa County Taxpayers' Association, will be the guest speaker before the Sun Valley Improvement Club of Walnut Creek Thursday. Kenneth E. Bradshaw, president of the club, announced. Fleager is slated to talk on county taxes.

A MOMENT OF COMEDY is this bit from the Acalanes senior class presentation of "We Shook the Family Tree," given recently in the Don gym. Tony Biggs, left, the "mama's boy" who must wear short pants or knickers, triumphantly waves the long pants of his chum, Du Wayne Hodge, who rushes after him into the astonished company of his sister, Margie Blankenship, third from left, and his girl friend, Sue Tomer, extreme right. The play, which had a long Broadway run and recently appeared as a condensed novel in Reader's Digest, made a big hit with the audience at the high school.

Wrong Date? No, Those 3 Crashes Occurred on 23rd

If the calendar had said Friday the 13th instead of the 23rd, it might have been blamed on the date. But Friday the 23rd it was, so superstition was not given even a passing nod in the reports of the California Highway Patrol.

On that day auto accidents in this area occurred as follows:

7:50 a.m., Orinda Crossroads—sideswipe-rear end collision. Drivers, John G. Holmgren, 28, 463 Moraga Highway, Orinda, going north on Moraga Highway; Leo Read, 47, Moraga, traveling south. No injuries.

4 p.m., Mt. Diablo Boulevard and Upper Happy Valley Road—rear-end collision. Drivers, Henry Siegman, 34, Walnut Creek; John Manners, Jr., 20, Rt. 1, Box 118, Lafayette; both going east on the highway. Both injured, but injuries apparently were minor, according to the Highway Patrol, since the two went to their own physicians for treatment.

5:40 p.m., Honey Hill Road ,a half-mile north of Mt. Diablo Boulevard, off Charles Hill Road—head-on collision. Drivers, Irene Alexander, 36, Oakland, traveling south; Richard Lauden Slager, 29, Oakland, going north. Both received apparently minor injuries, the Highway Patrol said; they went to their own physicians.

Just to show it wasn't an off day, Wednesday of last week chalked up a sideswipe-rear end collision on Mt. Diablo Boulevard just east of Orinda Crossroads at 9:30 a.m. Eastbound drivers Giovanni Rossi, 70, Oakland ,and Edward Howard, Jr., 36, Colma, were involved. No injuries.

Cubbers Powwow Set

A Cubbers' Powwow, annual get-together of Cub leaders to which Den Mothers are invited, will be held at Camp Herms, 1290 Arlington, El Cerrito, tomorrow and Sunday. Registration will be from 2 to 3 p.m. tomorrow.

'Here's 1-2-3 On County Road Needs in Orinda'

Analysis of the report on the recent special roads meeting of the organization's Civic Affairs Committee led Orinda Association directors Monday night to three specific decisions:

1. — To urge the county to accept Tara Road as a county road.

2. — To press new efforts for county repairs on El Toyonal, so that school bus service, which has been lacking since the early rains of last fall, shortly after start of the school year, can be resumed.

3. — To urge the county to revise Ordinance 486, governing subdivision road requirements, so as to make for better roads which the county could take over later at minimum expense.

These actions were on suggestion of Zach Montgomery, Civic Affairs chairman, who stated that they formed the highlights of the March 5 special meeting proceedings.

Truck Officials, Orinda Association Directors Confer on Highway Traffic

Problems of truck operators and motoring commuters came in for extensive discussion Monday night at the Orinda Association directors' meeting at Orinda Grammar School.

Participating in the discussion with the association board were Paul W. James, assistant manager of the Truck Owners Association of California; O. F. Marcantonio, general manager, Ragusa Trucking Company; M. E. Snyder, general manager and vice-president, Seaboard Transportation Company, and R. E. Clark, Seaboard's chief dispatcher.

JAMES EXPLAINED that J. A. Nevis, head of J. A. Nevis Transportation Company, was unable to be present because he was in southern California at the time.

Also present was H. H. Lowthian of 5 Overhill Court, owner of the Lowthian Truck Line, whose trucks ordinarily do not travel on Mt. Diablo Boulevard.

The trucking officials came to the meeting at the invitation of the directors and Chairman Zach Montgomery of the association's Civic Affairs Committee.

Association President Kirk Miles presided at the session.

KNOTTY HUB of the entire knotty problem, as approached in friendly give-and-take of informal conversation, was congestion on Mt. Diablo Boulevard during the peak hours, particularly from 7 to 8 a.m., and how to get heavy trucks off the highway in those periods.

Marcantonio and Snyder pointed out that they had already, at considerable expense to them, staggered their schedules so that their trucks would be off the highway at the crowded commuter times. Marcantonio stated that Nevis had similarly staggered scheduling of his truck runs.

Regarding increased routing of trucks via Franklin Canyon, it was explained that maximum loads required in shipments to customers or consignees often made this impossible, since two underpasses have clearance of 13 feet, two inches, as against 13 feet, six inches, the legal limit for loaded trucks.

Vice-President Horace Breed of the Orinda Association agreed that this might be a suitable matter for the Diablo Highway Improvement Federation to take up. Breed is the association representative on the highway federation board.

James asked if sufficient thought had been given to a future overpass at Orinda Crossroads and to possible turnouts from the highway for vehicles.

BREED DECLARED that at a highway federation board meeting last week, attended by District Engineer L. A. Weymouth of the State Division of Highways, it was pointed out that the Orinda overpass was the No. 1 item in highway federation estimation and that turnouts were the No. 2 item.

Directors of the Orinda Association assured the trucking men of their appreciation for cooperation offered. It was generally agreed that commuters could help themselves considerably by starting out from home a little earlier in the morning, thus avoiding some of the congestion.

Fraser Will File For Reelection

Jack Fraser, only member of the Orinda School Board whose term expires this year, announced today that he will file for reelection as a school district trustee.

Candidates have until April 18 to file their papers with the ofifce of County Superintendent of Schools B. O. Wilson. Election day is May 18.

California Real Estate Big Business — Watson

"California real estate is big business," D. D. Watson, state real estate commissioner, told the monthly dinner meeting of the Contra Costa Real Estate Board at the Acapulco last night.

"The 1,100,000 homes built in the last 10 years in the state represent an outlay of $10,000,000,000. The anticipated population increase for the next 10 years is 3,500,000, which will mean another million homes."

President A. J. "Buck" Johnson of the Real Estate Board presided.

Missed X-Ray? Here's Chance!

"Last chance" free chest x-rays will be obtainable here next week for persons who were not x-rayed during the recent visit of the countywide survey.

In Lafayette, the unit will be in front of the Dime and Dollar store and the Emporium between noon and 8 p.m. next Thursday and Friday and from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, April 7.

In Orinda, a unit will be stationed at the corner lot across from the American Trust Company on Moraga Highway between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Friday, April 6, and Saturday, April 7.

In addition, a free diabetic test station will be in Lafayette Pharmacy during the same hours set for the Lafayette x-ray schedule.

Max R. Hansen Pleads Guilty

Appearing in Superior Court Monday, Max Royal Hansen, 36, former Lafayette plasterer contractor, pleaded guilty to charges of passing bad checks in this area.

His probation hearing was set for April 9.

Hansen was recently brought back from Miami, Fla., in extradition proceedings, by Inspector Norman Wilson of the Contra Costa County sheriff's office.

Weather: 78 High And Low Was 32

Do you like Spring weather? We thought you would when we ordered it from the weather department.

The high was 78 degrees the 27th! Low this past week was 32 degrees on the 23rd.

Association OK's Request for Ramp At Orinda School

Orinda Association's Board of Directors Monday night okayed Joseph L. Sheaff's request for permission to the school board to construct a ramp from the Orinda School playground to Orinda Highway at Irwin Way.

The planned ramp, intended as a safety factor for school children by helping them stay off the inadequate path along Orinda Highway, would go across a portion of Community Center property, which is owned by the Orinda Association.

Sheaff stated that the school board would be willing to assume all responsibility for the ramp, including cases of possible injury to school children on Community Center property.

Kickoff Party For Absurdia II Set for Monday

ABSURDIA IN SUBURBIA II—the time has come and now is for all Orindans to support this money raising venture to make it the success and fun it was last year.

Monday night at 8 is the night of the big Kickoff Party to be held at the Orinda School auditorium. The producer of the show will be there to cast the parts, coordinate the work that has already been done by committees, and assign the many activities needed to produce a super colossal show. Many people are needed to put this show together so don't hold back or wait to be coaxed—every one of you will be needed. You'll surely want to get in on the fun this year.

Mrs. Russell Gilwee, Orinda 5921, has names of eighth grade sitters whom you can contact, so don't leave father home to baby sit, we need the men too. Refreshments will be served, there will be a jazz band there (we think) and a hot time in the old town Monday night.

2 Scouts Achieve Highest Honor

Dick Doty and Raymond Orr, both 14 years old, were advanced to Eagle Scout rank at a special Court of Honor held by Orinda Troop 207 at Orinda Grammar School last night.

Each has earned 21 merit badges for proficiency in scouting to achieve this promotion to the highest rank. Both are unusually young to have accomplished the many requirements for such an honor.

Raymond is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Orr of Miner Road and Dick's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Abe R. Doty of Glorietta Boulevard. They are freshmen at Acalanes.

'Wild, Woolly' On Saturday Bill

Teatro para Ninos presents for Saturday "Wild and Woolly" an action packed comedy with Jane Withers and Walter Brennan. Time from 1 until 3 at the Orinda School auditorium.

Seek Formation Of Local Council On Civil Defense

First step toward formation of an Orinda civilian defense council was taken by the Board of Directors of the Orinda Association Monday night.

On suggestion of Director Marvin Bonds, who is zone warden for that portion of Orinda south of Mt. Diablo Boulevard, it was agreed to try to bring representatives of the various local civil defense groups together for a conference, with the aim of establishment of a community council.

Director Stanley Allen said he would get in touch with such representatives in an effort to have them meet at an early date.

Bonds' suggestion was relayed to the association board by President Kirk Miles, since Bonds was absent, speaking at a trade school meeting in Oakland.

Although the association board decided to take the initiative in getting the groups together, it was agreed that the groups' representatives should set up their own council organization.

Included in the setup would be the warden service, the sheriff's reserve, the fire department, the Red Cross and the utilities.

Residents Offer Paving Proposal To Sewer District

With the comparatively few protests lodged, work will proceed on installing sewers in the new Local Improvement District No. 22, Sleepy Hollow Area, on order of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District board of directors last week. Bids on the job will be received by the board April 12, as advertised in this issue of the Sun.

A proposal by area residents whereby a mutual agreement might be worked out between the contractor and the county for restoration of roads in L.I.D. 13 was discussed. The problem was referred to Attorney John Nejedly.

The board looked favorably upon the idea but cited the possibility of legal objections.

Under the proposal the contractor would post money in lieu of restoring the pavement. This would allow the county, which is contemplating entire road surfacing jobs in some areas, to do the work all at one time.

Symphony Meet Set for Tonight

A short preparatory meeting for organization of an Orinda Little Symphony will be held tonight, 7:45, at Orinda Community Church.

Since plans for formation of such a group of musicians and other music lovers were announced, many persons in the area have expressed their enthusiasm for such a symphonic organization. All persons interested in music have been invited to attend tonight.

Cub Nine Whips Pleasant Hill

Cub Pack 52 chalked up a win for its baseball team in the first inter-pack league game of the season Saturday morning at Glorietta School. They scored 16 to 8 against Pleasant Hill Pack 45.

Tomorrow at 10 a.m., the Orinda team will play Walnut Creek Cubs at Walnut Creek Grammar School. Fathers are requested to meet with cubs at Glorietta School at 9:30 a.m. to afford sufficient transportation facilities for those who want to go to the game.

2 Days: Wyatt Operated On, Grass Fire, Grading, Grandson for Chief

Tuesday was a sort of special day for the Orinda fire department — and Wednesday, as befits the day that follows Tuesday, wasn't far behind in significance.

These events happened on Tuesday:

1. — First grass fire of the season occurred at the end of Hillcrest Drive, off Glorietta Boulevard.

2. — Hancock Construction Company of Lafayette started grading and staking the site for fire house No. 2, at Moraga Highway and Orchard Road.

3. — Fire Chief H. E. Wyatt entered Merritt Hospital, Oakland, where he was operated on that afternoon for a back injury sustained while fighting a fire a couple of years ago.

WEDNESDAY? On Wednesday morning, also at Merritt Hospital, Chief Wyatt's daughter, Mrs. David Randolph Inge of 45 Sleepy Hollow Lane, gave birth to a son.

The boy is the Inges' second child. They have a daughter, Amy, a year and a half old.

THE GRASS FIRE, according to Inspector William Koch of the fire department, was extinguished quickly after burning about a half-acre. It was caused by an eight-year-old boy who admitted to Koch he had been playing with matches there.

This is unusually early for grass fires, Koch said; ordinarily the "season" doesn't start until May.

"FROM NOW ON we're going to hold parents strictly responsible," he stated. "This means payment for any damage caused and for wear-and-tear on fire department equipment. Parents should be careful to keep matches out of the reach of children."

Chief Wyatt is recuperating from the operation and is expected home about the end of next week, Koch said. The injury was suffered when he wrenched his back as he stepped into a gopher hole at a fire.

Koch reported that the bulldozing at the new fire house site was completed by yesterday, and that staking was in progress.

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Eating, Beverage Places Must File Reports With OPS by Apr. 30

Every operator of a restaurant, cocktail lounge, soft drink fountain, cafeteria or any other type of public eating place is urged by the regional Office of Price Stabilization to obtain a copy of Ceiling Price Regulation 11 as soon as possible, so he may determine ceiling prices for use in his establishment by April 1 and file required reports by April 30.

The definition of food under the regulation includes both alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages.

Copies of CPR-11 are available at the OPS District Office for this area, located at 1417 Clay Street, Oakland, telephone Twinoaks 3-6340, and also from the local Chamber of Commerce.

CPR-11 allows public eating places to adjust menu prices to reflect actual increases in food costs. It replaces on April 1, 1951, provisions of the General Ceiling Price Regulation of January 26 applicable to such establishments.

Reports to be filed by April 30 with the OPS District Office must show the establishment's method of operation and the "food cost per dollar of sales" in effect for the base period. Operators of restaurant chains located over more than one OPS district may file required records and reports with the OPS Regional Office, 870 Market Street, San Francisco.

College of Pacific Band Concert Set

Residents within the Acalanes District will be afforded a rare opportunity to hear one of the country's outstanding symphonic bands 8:15 p.m. Wednesday at a special program given by the College of the Pacific Band in the Acalanes gym.

Proceeds from the concert will benefit the Acalanes Evening Choral group which is planning an oratorio presentation in early May.

The COP band, one of the better college music organizations in the country, has announced a varied program for lovers of all types of music. Included in the program are "Carousel" by Rogers, Sextet in A Major by Busch, featuring the band's brass choir, Suite in F by Holst, and Excerpts from Symphony No. 5 by Tschaikowsky.

The Acalanes concert will inaugurate a three day concert tour by the COP band in various northern California cities. Tickets for the Acalanes concert can be purchased at music stores in Walnut Creek, Lafayette and Orinda for 75c.

Canyon Can't Count Kittens

It may be Apple Blossom Time in Normandy and Tulip Time in Holland, but it's Kitten Time in Canyon.

The usual greeting around here these days is, "Hello, wanna kitten?" The census taker of the feline population who is trying to keep up with the "packages from Paradise" became so confused that it can only be reported at this time that kittens have arrived in all kinds and colors.

There are kittens with long hair and short, long tails and short tails; kittens black, grey, yellow striped and mottled—although the latter come only in the female variety. Naturally male calicos would be a rare phenomenon in catdom.

With the increase of the cat inhabitants the mouse population is on the decline, in fact a mouse is a rare sight nowadays. So—

If you'd have a better mousetrap, beat a path to Canyon's door—

But pick your kitten carefully or you will have mousetraps galore.

Carolyn Ann Bacon, 14, Dies Suddenly

What started out as a happy skiing trip ended in sudden death late Thursday afternoon of last week for 14-year-old Carolyn Ann Bacon at Tahoe City, California. An autopsy revealed that death was caused by pneumonia.

The popular Acalanes High School freshman was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cortlandt Bacon, Jr., of 7 Solana Drive.

Apparently in good health, Carolyn had left Lafayette with her mother that morning for the "snow country." After skiing that afternoon, the girl suddenly collapsed. Unsuccessful attempts were made to revive her.

Carolyn graduated from Lafayette Grammar School last June. She was a speaker at the graduation exercises.

A score of her classmates attended the funeral services Monday afternoon at the Little Chapel of the Flowers in Berkeley, where Dr. Laurence L. Cross officiated. Cremation followed at Sunset Crematory in Berkeley.

Carolyn's brother, J. Cortlandt Bacon III, known as "Terry," was a Don Varsity football guard last fall and received the coaches' award for team spirit.

Her uncle and aunt were Mr. and Mrs. Norman F. Coates of Orinda.

Other survivors include Carolyn's grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Davies of Santa Rosa, and her grandfather, J. Cortlandt Bacon of Berkeley.

Seal Campaign Totals $10,000

Contributions to the 1951 Easter Seal Campaign in Contra Costa County totaled more than $10,000 as the drive ended officially on Easter Sunday, according to Mrs. John H. Brubaker, president, the Crippled Children's Society of Contra Costa County which conducted the campaign.

While this is the largest amount contributed through Easter Seals in the history of the county and represents an increase of 30 per cent over 1950 receipts, it is only about 67 per cent of the 1951 goal of $1,900, Mrs. Brubaker said.

In urging residents who have not done so to mail their contributions immediately, Mrs. Brubaker stated that increased costs of care for crippled children and the need for additional services which have not been given previously make it essential that the $15,000 Easter Seal goal be attained.

Travel Forum Meets Tonight To Study Hawaii

Edward Smith, United Airlines executive, will inaugurate the first of the Acalanes Adult school travel forum series tonight with a movie and discussion of Hawaii.

Smith, just returned from the Islands, and Richard Nesbitt, moderator of the film and lecture series, will discuss culture, history, political background and the vacation potentialities of the territory. A color film will supplement the discussion.

DESIGNED TO AFFORD interested persons an informal insight into popular foreign areas, the series will eventually cover countries such as Norway, France, England, Sweden, South American nations, and many others.

The series is being arranged and directed by Richard Nesbitt, day school instructor, who has had varied travel experiences before, during and after the war.

ADULT SCHOOL Director David Stewart disclosed today that 2,000 "students" have enrolled in the current Winter Quarter, a new enrollment high. Last year the total enrollment for all quarters slightly exceeded 2,000.

Registration for the Spring Quartre will be held next week. Old students are asked to bring their registration card. Registration fee is $1.00.

Three social dancing classes are also now being organized for beginners, intermediate and advanced dancers. Other new courses include a home nursing class to start in April, taught by Mrs. Verna Phillips, school nurse, and a Spanish conversation class which will begin April 2, and meet on Mondays 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Barnard Alumnae Have Fund Drive

Contra Costa County alumnae of Barnard College are currently launching a local campaign for funds in support of the college's Development Plan.

The campaign in this area is being directed by Mrs. George W. Backus, 1221 Dewing Lane, Walnut Creek.

The local campaign is part of a nationwide drive to raise $10,000,000 for Barnard, the women's undergraduate college of Columbia University in New York. The funds will be used to raise faculty and staff salaries, to provide more scholarships, to enrich the curriculum and to enlarge the physical facilities of the college. No local goal has been announced.

Assisting Mrs. Backus is Mrs. Harvey Wehmeier of Lafayette. Other Barnard alumnae in this area include Mrs. Louis B. Ambler, Mrs. William H. Pashley and Mrs. Paul Pollaczek—all of Orinda—and Miss Elizabeth Lopez of Brentwood.

HYDROGRAPHER EXAM

A Civil Service examination for the position of hydrographer will be held April 13 by the East Bay Municipal Utility District. Final date for filing applications is April 3.

Counselors Tour Juvenile Hall

Leland Russell, William Ross, Vera Richardson and Arthur Dambacher, Acalanes counselors, recently toured the Juvenile Hall in Martinez for a closeup on procedures in handling juvenile delinquents.

The tour was a part of a special visit sponsored by the Hall for school counselors of Contra Costa County. Leland Russell, head of the Acalanes counseling staff, reported that his counselors in general were "impressed by the efficiency and understanding demonstrated by the Juvenile Hall staff."

The tour helped acquaint school counselors with work being done in other sectors of the community for child welfare.

Culp Receives Service Award At Union Oil

George J. Culp, superintendent of bulk operations for Union Oil Company's Oleum Refinery, has been awarded a third ruby for his service pin in recognition of his 25 years of outstanding service.

Born in San Felipe, California, in 1902, Culp began his career with the Union Oil Company on March 11, 1926. A graduate of Stanford University with a B.S. in chemistry, his first job at Oleum was in the inspection laboratory.

In 1930 he was promoted to assistant chemist and in 1932 was transferred to the Los Angeles area as assistant plant superintendent. In 1937 he was again transferred and promoted to superintendent of the company's Willbridge plant at Portland, Oregon. He returned to Oleum in 1942 as assistant superintendent of bulk operations and was promoted to superintendent in 1946.

Culp has been a resident of Orinda for the past three years, residing with his wife, Twila Mae, and their two children, Allen and Harold, at 559 Miner Road.

Presentation of the ruby was made at a recent luncheon by G. H. Hemmen, refinery manager.

Bruno Walter to be Guest Conductor

Bruno Walter, who for more than 50 years has held a high place among prominent symphony and opera conductors of the world, will be welcomed back to the San Francisco Opera House podium next Thursday and Saturday nights as guest leader of the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.

Of the various guest conductors who have appeared at the helm of the San Francisco Symphony, none has made a greater impression upon the concert-going public or holds its affection more firmly than Dr. Walter.

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Name Miss Lahti On State Board

Lily Lahti, Acalanes Dean of Girls, has been elected to the executive board of the California Association of Women Deans and Vice Principals at its convention recently at Santa Barbara.

The association is made up of women school executives in California and is one of the state's most active groups.

Miss Lahti has been at Acalanes since the school's inception. In her new capacity on the association executive board, she will serve as chairman for the women's high school deans and vice principals group. She will also work with an association committee on school public relations. The Acalanes dean is the first woman from this area to serve as an officer of the women's California Association.

Mrs. Germaine Heads Red Cross Publicity

Edward M. Larmer, Mt. Diablo Red Cross Chapter chairman, last week announced appointment of Mrs. Edward E. Germaine as publicity chairman for the chapter. Fund Drive publicity will continue to be handled by R. W. Rinehart.

Do you realize how much it costs when you go through the Tunnel to shop?

Dr., Mrs. Needham Are Brand-New Grandparents

Another set of brand-new grandparents in Lafayette are Dr. and Mrs. Paul Needham of Reliez Station Road. Their first grandchild, Cynthia Molly Dillard, was born last month in Oregon.

Mrs. Needham returned recently from a trip to see the new baby. Little Molly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dillard (the former Barbara Needham) of Roseburg.

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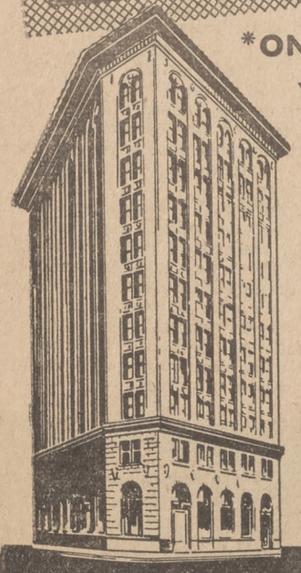

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At ¾-Mark—$13,000 in Red Cross Funds

Thirteen thousand dollars contributed at the three-quarter mark of the 1951 Red Cross Fund Appeal in the Mt. Diablo Chapter area found the local campaign abreast of other Bay Area cities but still only 55 per cent of the total goal of $24,000, according to a progress report from drive headquarters in Walnut Creek.

Analysis of the course of campaigns of recent years, together with studies of the percentages of progress indicated in the 10 divisions still in the field, lead Chapter Chairman Edward M. Larmer and Campaign Chairman R. W. Rinehart to be optimistic about the final result in the weekly bulletin sent to community chairmen.

THIS STRESSES the need for everyone of the 800 workers in the drive to make every call and callback and emphasizes their belief that when this is done the chapter record of successful appeals will have been maintained.

The letter continues: "To all sincere advocates of Red Cross, that is the most important thing — to give everyone the opportunity and privilege of contributing. When that has been accomplished, whatever the dollar result, the job has been done successfully. Likewise, it will have been done in the tradition of our chapter — without coercion, pressure or fanfare. Our friends and neighbors will have been reminded of a great humanitarian cause; they will have responded from their hearts to the best of their ability."

Included with the report to workers is a copy of an urgent message from National Fund Chairman David Sarnoff, as follows:

"**RAPIDLY CHANGING** defense developments have greatly increased Red Cross responsibilities since campaign goal was established. Our job is even more urgent now and demands our maximum effort to obtain oversubscription of each chapter's goal. Corporation and business leaders are showing tangible support of our efforts by their increased subscriptions.

"But indications are that average givers are not awake to the needs of the present situation which includes the urgent requirements of our fighting men . . . Urge you to intensify campaign tempo and coverage. This is vital if Red Cross is to serve effectively our armed forces at home and abroad."

Parents' Club Has Panel Discussion

Acalanes Parents Club met Monday night in the school cafeteria with Mrs. T. E. Carroll presiding.

Ross Regan led a panel discussion on "Acalanes as seen by the Graduate." Mrs. Lois Hafer Bowbeer, Mrs. Barbara Ebbeson Walden, Miss Maurine Rucker, Buford Feagans, Ted Wilson and Arch Nottingham composed the group of graduates participating in the discussion.

The Art department under the direction of Miss Vera Richardson and Miss Barbara Nelson had a display of some of the outstanding work done by the students.

Decorations and refreshments were under the direction of Miss Helen Peterson, Home Economics teacher with Miss Marie Wagner assisting. The cookies were made by the students in the cooking class.

Girls assisting with the serving were Marilyn Atkinson, Diane Foster and Shirley Hoffman.

Red Cross Reports On Local Services

A report on the activities of the Volunteer Services of the American Red Cross, Mt. Diablo Chapter, was made at a meeting of committee chairmen March 20 at the Chapter House.

Mrs. Donn Court, chairman of the recreation committee, announced that a variety of entertainment was being furnished for the patients at Camp Stoneman Hospital on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month.

INCLUDED IN THE last program was Rade Sadler of Lafayette, formerly a member of the famous team of Two Black Crows, who entertained with his popular act. Three talented Acalanes High School students were also billed. They were Dino Pozzobon, accordionist, Judy Johnson, boogie woogie pianist, and Bob Wallis, impersonator.

Gray Lady Chairman Mrs. John Cottle reported the completion of training classes at Oakland Naval Hospital for seventeen Gray Ladies from this area. A chapter indoctrination was conducted for them and ten new recruits for the Motor Service by Mrs. Mildred K. Culbertson, executive secretary of the Mt. Diablo Chapter.

THE MOTOR SERVICE, according to Mrs. C. Norwood Pickering, chairman of that group, has inaugurated San Francisco sightseeing tours for ambulatory patients at Camp Stoneman Hospital who are unfamiliar with the Bay Area.

Mrs. James Bailey, Volunteer Services chairman, requested that anyone having fresh flowers to donate for use in the wards at the hospital, please leave them at the Chapter House on Locust Avenue on Tuesdays.

SPARE THE OLD SPARE

Spare tires often are those that already have seen considerable service. Yet it frequently happens that when the spare is called upon to fill in, its tenure on the wheel is much longer than the owner anticipated. The spare may be good for but a few hundred miles. When the good tire is fixed, put it back without delay. It spares the old spare.

AAUW Branch Has 1st Open Meeting

Seventy-five women of Walnut Creek and the surrounding area attended the first open meeting held by the newly formed Walnut Creek Branch of the American Association of University Women last week in the Parish Hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Speaker was Mrs. E. C. Lanphier, regional vice president of the California State Division of A.A.U.W.

Among those present at the meeting were Mrs. Frances Dent of Concord, a member of the State Membership Committee, and Miss Ruth Galindo, president of the Concord Branch of A.A.U.W.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served. Mrs. F. J. Clune and Mrs. Daisy Marchant presided at the tea table. Others on the hostess committee were Mesdames Alex Lohse, T. W. Marston, S. A. Gammon, Mrs. Kay Striker.

Next meeting of the Walnut Creek Branch will be held at the Parrish Hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church April 12, 8 p.m.

NAMED TO CHURCH POST

President Spencer Macky has announced that Dr. Orville Dahl, vice-president of the California College of Arts and Crafts, has been appointed executive director of higher education of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. Dr. Dahl will continue to be associated with the college as its educational consultant.

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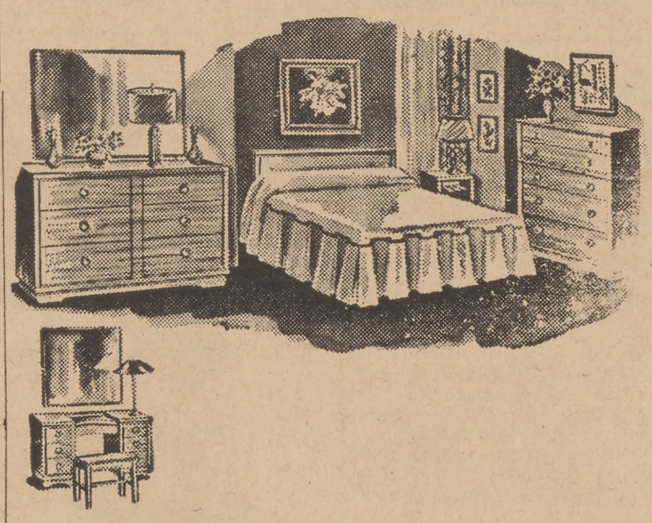

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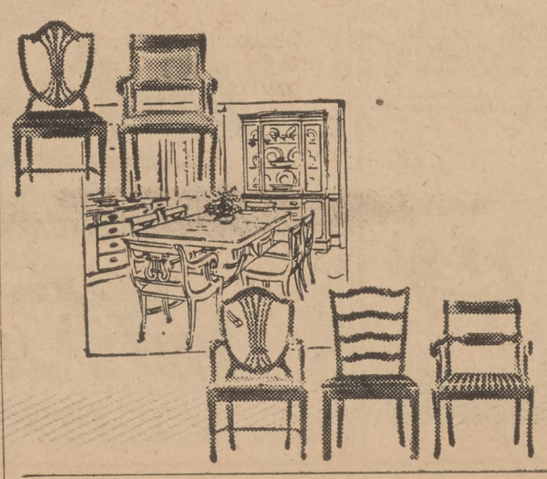

Martinez Merry-Go-Round

'We Don't Like It,' Supervisors Say About New Reapportionment Bill

Double-barreled opposition to State Assemblyman Laughlin Waters' reapportionment bill was received in Sacramento this week from Contra Costa County's Board of Supervisors.

Specifically, the supervisors, in a letter to Waters, Los Angeles Republican, objected to:

1.—Coupling of Contra Costa with Solano County in a proposed congressional district.

The supervisors want Contra Costa to have a congressional district all its own.

2.—Two proposed Assembly districts for hte county, one of which would include all the First Supervisorial District except Kensington Park and Berkeley Park, and the other of which would be the rest of the county (including Kensington Park and Berkeley Park).

The supervisors want the entire First Supervisorial District to comprise one Assembly district, and the rest of the county to comprise the other.

These objections were expressed by the county board at its meeting last Friday.

SAN MATEO, SAN BERNARDINO

Board Chairman Jack Cummings pointed out that Contra Costa is larger in population than San Mateo County or San Bernardino County. Each of these two would constitute a congressional district by itself, under the Waters bill.

The Assembly Ways and Means Committee, of which Waters is chairman, has recommended passage of the bill.

DIABLO UTILITY DISTRICT FORMED

The board last Friday declared the Diablo Public Utility District duly formed, by virtue of the 61-4 vote of the previous Tuesday.

"What's this about Friday meetings?" you ask. The board, you say, meets on Monday.

ALMOST REGULAR OCCURRENCE

Sure it does, but it has been so all-fired busy for some time now that two meetings a week have become almost a regular occurrence. Day of the second meeting hasn't always been the same, from week to week.

But one thing is pretty generally agreed to by the supervisors—it's only a matter of time until this two-meetings-a-week business becomes an official custom. It is pointed out that Monday meetings often run to 6 p.m. or later, with completion of all business impossible in that day's session.

Already the board is hearing certain controversial matters, such as zoning problems, on Tuesdays. And Social Service Director William Golden has stated that department heads should have more time for discussion of policy with board members and has suggested a second regular meeting each week.

Official or not, the board has been meeting twice a week a good part of the time for some months.

RENEW PLEA FOR FEDERAL AID

The county has renewed a request to the Federal Community Facilities Service for a $141,000 allocation to assist in a survey on highway plans in the county.

County Auditor D. M. Teeter was instructed by the supervisors to make the request after he told the board the service felt a previous application for the amount could not be granted because it was not specific in listing purposes of the funds.

The board told him to repeat the request for specific roads to be listed by County Surveyor Joseph Barkley.

STATE COOPERATION PLEDGED

Cooperation of the State Highway Department in future planning of road needs in Contra Costa County has been pledged, according to County Surveyor-Road Commissioner Joseph Barkley.

Board Chairman Jack Cummings said he particularly was interested in obtaining sufficient setbacks in areas where road widening was planned to prevent higher costs for obtaining rights of way and also to prevent inconvenience to land owners.

J.C. GETS FEDERAL GRANT

A $43,000 planning grant from the Federal Housing and Home Finance Agency has been awarded to the Contra Costa County Junior College District.

The money will be used for planning two permanent buildings scheduled for construction on a 100-acre site near Pacheco. The site is to be the permanent East Campus location of the junior college.

AGREE ON CONCORD HOSPITAL TERMS

Because state law makes it impossible for a school district to make gifts, recent discussion of the proposed Concord Hospital District institution on the Contra Costa Junior College campus was limited to sale of the property to be used. The J.C. board agreed to sell to the hospital district 10 acres of its campus near Pacheco at the same price originally paid for it, $1,725 an acre.

Under the cooperative arrangement the junior college will increase its curriculum to include courses which can be given through use of the hospital.

Cap Sandford Sez:

THE BUYERS OF NEW HOMES are finding the cash down payments much different from what they used to be several years ago.

In order to make any pretense at paying the staggering taxes with which we are now confronted, it is, at least for most of us, necessary to do some business; and yet the government agencies which have authority in such matters appear to be determined to make business practically impossible for the average type of businessman.

So, as a logical result, there will ultimately be no money to pay the taxes with. It is kinda different-like if you are one of the big shots and know the proper people. Yes, quite different.

I'D HATE LIKE THE DICKENS to be a recruiting officer should the prospective fighting man look me square in the eye and ask, as the father of the marine asked Acheson, "What are we fighting for?"

The average good citizen in time of grim necessity is willing to offer to make the supreme sacrifice and jeopardize his life in defense of his country and its ideals.

But I, for one, would hate like the dickens to offer my life for a setup like this. Wasn't it Abe Lincoln who said, All half, half all, but not all all? And so what?

I TOOK TWO YOUNGSTERS for a horseback ride with me on Saturday morning. Each was decked out in full western costume; we had a delightful ride through some of the quieter spots on Lafayette.

The children looked good, behaved well and showed considerable skill in handling the horses.

THE LINNETS IN THE IVY outside our home are very busy with their nest building operations.

Many activities, darting hither and yon, carrying odds and ends and chirping and squabbling over the choicest spots.

Strange item in one of San Francisco's old conservative newspapers—under the headline "Crime," some details and photographs of an infamous gangster and our ambassador to a friendly neighboring power:

"Hon soit qui mal y pense"?

THE MARCH WIND!

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

We want you to know how sincerely the Boy Scout organization appreciates the generous publicity you have given us throughout the years in the Sun.

As you know, the Boy Scout organization is a volunteer movement and lives on the good will of the public. It is only through the support of the friends of the movement that we are able to provide this splendid character building program to the youth throughout our area.

The generous space given by the newspapers to our scouting activities assists us in extending the scout program to an ever increasing number of boys and helps us to secure the necessary means to pay for this expanded program.

Will you kindly extend our appreciation to the various members of the newspaper staff who give so generously of their time and prepare the articles for public reading.

E. C. HINCKLEY, Chairman
Council Public Relations
Program

Comic Book Is Aid For Kite Flyers

Kites and kids go well together, but they just plain don't mix well with electricity!

Now that kite season has breezed into schedule, Pacific Gas and Electric Company has issued its annual reminder to boys and girls — and to their parents — that injury and possible death come when kites contact power lines.

PG&E THIS YEAR has produced an unusually interesting and entertaining means of providing boys and girls with the kite safety rules. It has published a full-color comic book entitled "Having Fun with Kites." The book tells the history of kit flying, describes the varieties of kites and how to fly them safely, and contains patterns and instructions for building kites.

The comic books are being circulated among children at schools ond through city recreation departments. Copies are available free at all PG&E offices. Kites should not be flown, says the company, without thorough knowledge of the dangers and the proper safety precautions.

THE COMPANY'S LIST of rules follows:

NEVER fly a kite near electric or trolley wires.

NEVER climb poles to untangle a kite.

NEVER let a kite go over radio or TV aerials.

NEVER build or buy a kite with metal or wire in the frame or tail.

NEVER use tinsel string, wire or any kind of twine that has a metallic substance. Use plain cotton or linen cord.

NEVER run across streets or highways while flying kites.

NEVER touch fallen electric wires. Report them to PG&E.

Dear Editor:

May I thank you for your letter of March 6 with the copy of your communication addressed to Senator Kefauver commending the Senate Crime Investigating Committee.

Please be assured that I appreciate very much being advised of your views relative to the work being done by this committee.

With best regards, I remain
Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM F. KNOWLAND
U. S. Senator

Dear Editor:

Enclosing postal note to cover my subscription for your paper.

Yours is the only Contra Costa County paper to take on the bad situation existing in the county and you deserve the support of all citizens who believe in honest government.

The old copy book maxim, "Honesty is the best policy," may still be true but the Kefauver Committee makes it appear that it does not pay off like dishonesty in politics.

Keep up the good work and be assured of my continued support.

Name Withheld
on request.

Dear Editor:

I want to thank you for your letter of March 6 and for your comments with respect to the Kefauver Committee.

I certainly agree with you that this committee has done an outstanding job in exposing the activities of the nation's criminals, and I want to assure you that I will support its continued activities.

I appreciate your interest in writing me on this subject.

RICHARD NIXON
U. S. Senator

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Sacramento Report

'Gerrymander' Cry Echoes Again With Production of Reapportionment Bills

By a 54-20 vote, the Assembly, after a hectic five-hour debate, passed the Waters bill on Assembly redistricting without any amendments Tuesday. An amendment offered by Assemblyman Robert L. Condon, opposing placing of Kensington and Berkeley Park in his district, was one of six voted down.

By ASSEMBLYMAN
ROBERT L. CONDON

The words "gerrymander" and "unfair" were flung around the State Capitol last week when the reapportionment bills were produced.

As you know, after every dicennial census, the Legislature must realign the State's 80 Assembly districts and reconstruct the Congressional districts.

Because of its growth, California is now entitled to 30 Congressmen instead of the 23 it has had for the last 10 years. Under the Constitution of the State of California, the Assembly and Congressional districts should be as nearly as possible equal in population.

THE COMMITTEE charged with preparing the reapportionment bills is the Assembly Elections and Reapportionment Committee, headed by Assemblyman Laughlin Waters of Los Angeles. Waters' committee held hearings in all parts of the state and finally came up with its proposals.

These were kept secret until the last moment. Even members of the committee were not allowed to see the bills until they were presented to the committee at its final hearing last week. Then pandemonium broke loose.

The Democrats and Republican Charles Chapel of Los Angeles started to scream. Nearly every Assembly district represented by Democrats contained in the neighborhood of 150,000 persons. Republican districts, however, ran from 106,000 to 120,000. Moreover, two Republican districts were joined to make a Congressional district of about 230,000, while three Democratic districts were tacked together, making a district of over 400,000. One Los Angeles Congressional district has 465,000.

WATERS' WORK can be illustrated by local happenings. San Mateo County, predominantly Republican, has 234,000 people. It was declared to be an entire Congressional district.

Contra Costa County, however, with a Democratic majority, was joined with Democratic Solano County to make a Congressional district. This new district has over 400,000.

The 30 Congressional districts were divided, with 16 going south of the Tehachapis and 14 coming north. Actually, the population is about equal, so that 15 should be in each area. It is expected that the Senate, which has more Northerners, will restore a balance between North and South.

The reapportionment bills were to be voted upon this week. Since the Republicans control the Assembly, they will probably be steamrollered through without major change.

MISCELLANY: The "cat" bill, designed to fine cat owners who allow their pets to roam at night, was killed in committee . . . The Assembly was to vote this week on a constitutional amendment to require a loyalty oath of public officials and University of California employees . . . A new crime commission, financed with $102,000, will be appointed. This is probably due to the phenomenal success of the Kefauver Committee and the lack of opposition by Attorney General Brown . . . A disability insurance bill, increasing benefits from $25 to $35 per week, will probably get a "do pass" recommendation this week from the Assembly Finance and Insurance Committee.

INVESTIGATION JOBS

Investigators for price violations and other general and criminal investigation positions are sought through a civil service examination announced by the 12th U. S. Civil Service Region. Jobs in Office of Price Stabilization and other federal agencies paying $3100 to $7600 a year will be filled through the examination.

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GARDEN NEWS EDITION

Your Garden

Call for Breakfast! Plants Are Hungry So Be Sure to Give Them Good Feeding

By BERT WRIGHT

IT'S BREAKFAST TIME in the Spring garden.

All your plants will wake from their winter sleep hungry.

So give them a good stretch, a cleaning up and a sensible feeding.

LAWNS need attention right now.

If you're really enterprising, give your lawn its spring pick-me-up by raking it clean and spreading fertilizer.

The idea of the early feeding is not just to give the grass a good start, but to see that it gets all the good of the food before the weeds begin to germinate. After the lawn reacts to fertilizer, be sure and keep it cut well.

SHRUBS WORK HARD after eating.

There's a tremendous variation in the springtime demands of shrubs. But in general all deciduous types will benefit from a bit of careful cultivation and the scratching in around their bases of either a complete balanced fertilizer or a good dried manure.

Big shrubs may be classed with the small trees, almost, and should have correspondingly larger dosage. It's a good idea with these to make holes with a crowbar under the branch spread, about 2 feet apart, and put the proper share of food in each hole. This will let the feeding roots get right to work and no fertilizer will be wasted.

It's a good idea, too, not to scrub the ground under your shrubs too clean. The leaves which blow in under them during winter act as a good mulch, and unless you want to fuss all season, some vegetation underneath helps keep the shrubs healthy and the roots moist during the hot season.

Feed evergreens only half as much as the deciduous varieties and never cultivate deeply lest you injure the shallow fabrous roots.

TREES have tremendous appetites.

If your lawn trees don't get their food from you, they'll take it out of your lawn every time. So feed them well and soon.

Most trees are beginning to leaf out and a good application of sulphate of ammonia or a well-balanced plant food will give them everything they need. Remember, a healthy, well-fed tree is much more resistant to disease than one that is poorly-fed or half-starved.

Organic mixtures of dried manures are best for the evergreen or coniferous types.

SPRING ITSELF, of course, is a pretty fine tonic for all plants, just as it is for us. But for that very reason they may soon use up the foods left in the soil and hanker for more.

Planting Tips For Gladiolus

The gladiolus is an excellent garden item for planting at this time of the year. It is comparatively simple to grow, not bothered by many insects and yet provides an excellent cut flower for the house or mass planting for the yard.

Actually the bulbs may be started any time from January through June. Many gardeners plant them every four to six weeks apart for a continuous crop throughout the year. It takes about ninety to one hundred days for them to bloom.

Local Students Win Art Awards

Miss Vera Richardson, instructor and chairman of the Acalanes art department, received late notice today on several additional student art winners in the regional high school art show recently held in San Francisco under the sponsorship of Scholastic magazine.

The new awards brings the total of Acalanes first and place award winners to 13 students out of a field of 16 Dons who entered the competition.

Those who have been awarded place awards and certificates are Johanna Allen, Jeanette Busch, Marlene Davis, Janet Emerson, Lawrence Harper, Marilyn Laurence, Carla Nella, Diane Gree and Carol Racine.

Acalanes students had previously been given 11 first place gold key awards. The youngsters are students of Miss Richardson and Miss Barbara Nelson, instructors.

Phlox Border Flower

Phlox, with its green leaves and many bright colors, is a favorite for flower borders, and may be planted now.

The secret of success in growing perennial phlox is in keeping the soil moist during the dry season, and providing a mulch of straw manure, peat, or leaf mold during winter and summer. A well balanced fertilizer should be applied in the spring, and manure in the fall.

Don't Cut Foliage

Cut the fading flowers from bulbs so they will not go to seed but do not cut the foliage. The green foliage is what builds next year's bulb.

Do you realize how much it costs when you go through the Tunnel to shop?

Principals Have Monthly Meeting

Contra Costa County's representatives spoke on school legislation at the monthly meeting of the Principals' Association recently at the Concord Elementary School on Willow Pass Road.

Senator George Miller, Jr., and Assemblyman Robert Condon appeared on an evening program following dinner.

Earlier the principals heard Mrs. Lois Gridley, executive secretary of the Bay Section, California Teachers Association, discuss the teachers' retirement system.

Program arrangements were made by R. F. Sando, director of field services for Contra Costa County schools, and Tom Evans, principal of Clayton Valley School.

Students Place High In Civil Service Tests

Two Acalanes commercial students, Juanita Velasquez and Barbara Weill, placed first and second, respectively, in a recent civil service typing examination sponsored by the East Bay Municipal Utility District.

Other Acalanes students who passed the junior clerk's test were Virginia Hyatt, Shirley McAninch, Dorothy Piona and Jackie Freitas. The test was open to all applicants for Utility District clerical employment. All of the students are pupils of Miss Anita Anderson, commercial department instructor.

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It's Time to Dig Up Chrysanthemums

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Pursuant to the provisions of "Improvement Act of 1911" and to Resolution ordering the Work of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, County of Contra Costa, State of California, directing this Notice, said District Board hereby invites sealed bids and proposals for doing the work and improvement described in Resolution of Intention No. 679 in the above-entitled matter, of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, County of Contra Costa, State of California, adopted March 1st, 1951, and said Resolution of Intention No. 679 is hereby referred to for a description of said work and improvement, the grades to which it is to be done, a description of the district to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof, the bonds to be issued, and for all further particulars contained in said Resoution of Intention No. 679. Reference is hereby further made to the plans and specifications and detailed drawings for said work on file in the office of the Secretary of said Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, in accordance with which said work shall be done.

Said plans and specifications may be examined at 1822 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Walnut Creek, and may be obtained upon the payment of $20.00 which will not be returned.

Notice is further given that the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, County of Contra Costa, State of California, has established a prevailing rate and scale of wages in accordance with law, which rate and scale is as follows, to-wit:

CLASSIFICATION	PER DIEM rate 8 Hours	Hourly Rate
Boiler Maker (Foreman)	$22.24	$2.78
Boiler Maker & Boiler Maker-Welder	20.24	2.53
Brick Layer	26.00	3.25
Brick Layer (Hod-carrier)	19.60	2.45
Carpenter (Foreman)	21.00	2.625
Carpenter (Journeyman)	19.00	2.375
Carpenter (Millwright)	20.00	2.50
Cement Finisher (Foreman)	18.60	2.325
Cement Finisher	17.60	2.20
Cement Finisher (Machine man)	18.60	2.325
Electrical Worker (Foreman)	26.80	3.35
Electrical Worker (Journeyman)	21.60	2.70
Engineers—Operating		
Asphalt Plant Engineer	18.32	2.29
Asphalt Plant Operator	15.92	1.99
Compressor Operator	15.52	1.94
Concrete Mixerman (Over one yard)	17.92	2.24
Derrick or Truck Crane Operator	19.52	2.44
Fireman (Stationary)	15.52	1.94
Heavy Duty Repairman	18.32	2.29
Power Grader Operator	19.52	2.44
Power Shovel Operator (One Yard & Under)	20.72	2.59
Power Shovel Operator (Over one yard)	21.52	2.69
Oilers and Mechanic's Helper	15.52	1.94
Roller and Tractor Operator	18.32	2.29
Scoopmobile Operator (Used as loader)	18.72	2.34
Tractor Type Shovel & Truck Type Loader Operator	19.52	2.44
Tractor (Boom) Operator	19.52	2.44
Trenching Machine Operator	18.72	2.34
Glaziers	18.40	2.30
Iron Workers		
Rodman (Foreman)	20.60	2.575
Rodman	18.60	2.325
Structural (Foreman)	22.60	2.825
Structural	20.60	2.575
Laborers		
Asphalt Ironer and Rakers	15.20	1.90
Asphalt Shoveler	13.20	1.65
Blasters & Drillers	15.20	1.90
Combination Jackhammer-Powderman	15.20	1.90
Concrete Laborer	13.20	1.65
Construction Laborer	13.20	1.65
Cribber & Lagger	15.20	1.90
General Laborer	13.20	1.65
Operator—Vibrators, air, gas, Electric Tools	14.20	1.775
Sewer Pipe (Non Metallic) Layers & Banders & Caulkers	16.80	2.10
Watchman, Flagman & Guard	13.20	1.65
Painter (7 hour day)	19.60	2.45
Pile Driver (Foreman)	20.40	2.55
Pile Driver	18.00	2.25
Plumber	22.00	2.75
Sheet Metal Worker	18.50	2.3125
Steamfitter & Welder, Industrial Work	21.00	2.625
Teamsters		
Dump Truck		
Under 4 yds.	13.12	1.64
4 yds. and under 6 yds.	14.08	1.76
6 yds. and under 8 yds.	14.80	1.85
8 yds. and over	17.84	2.23
Transit Mix		
3 yds. and under	13.76	1.72
4 yds. and 5 yds.	14.48	1.81
Flat Rack or Pickup Truck		
Carrying less than 10,500 lbs.	13.36	1.67
Carrying over 10,500 lbs.	14.32	1.79
Tank or Water Trucks		
400 gal. or less	13.12	1.64
400 gal. or over	14.08	1.76

Overtime and Saturday work shall be paid for at double the normal hourly rate except as noted below for Cement Finishers and Truck Drivers and work on Sundays and Holidays shall be paid for at double the normal hourly rate.

The foregoing schedule of prevailing rates of wages, and rates for overtime, Sunday and Legal Holidays, is based, unless otherwise specified, upon a working day of eight (8) hours.

Overtime and Saturday rates for Truck Drivers shall be at one and one-half (1½) times the normal hourly rate.

The first two hours overtime, after a normal eight (8) hour day, for Cement Finishers shall be at one and one-half (1½) times the normal rate and further overtime shall be at double the normal rate. Saturday work for Cement Finishers shall be at one and one-half (1½) times the normal rate for the first eight (8) hours worked and at double the normal rate for all further time worked on Saturdays.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN BIDDERS that it shall be mandatory upon the contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and upon all subcontractors under him, to pay not less than said general prevailing rates of per diem wages, as above listed, to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed in the execution of the contract.

Anything to the contrary in the above wage scale notwithstanding, the Contractor and all subcontractors under him shall pay all their laborers, workmen, mechanics and employees on said work a salary or wage at least equal to the prevailing salary or wage for the same quality of service rendered to private persons, firms or corporations under similar employment, within the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

The per diem wage rate is the hourly rate hereinabove mentioned established multiplied by the number of hours hereinabove mentioned as constituting the working day for the particular craft or type of workman.

Before submitting proposals the bidder shall be licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9 Division III of the Business and Professions Code, Chapter 37 of the Statutes of 1939, as amended, and of the State of California, which provides for the registration and licensing of contractors.

Each bidder must submit with his proposal, a statement of his financial responsibility, technical ability and experience on the form to be furnished prospective bidders.

Each bidder shall submit with his bid on the form provided, the name and address of each subcontractor including the principal suppliers of materials, and the portion of the work which each subcontractor will do. If the contractor fails to name the subcontractors in his proposal, he shall be deemed to have agreed to perform such portion of the work himself and shall not be permitted to subcontract said portion of work without previous written permission of the District Board.

The Contractor shall, in the performance of the work and improvements, conform to the labor Code of the State of California and other laws of the State of California applicable thereto, with the exception only of such variation as may be required under the special statutes pursuant to which proceedings hereunder are taken and which have not been superseded by the provisions of the Labor Code. Preference to labor shall be given only in the manner provided and required by law. Veterans and resident local labor shall be given preference by the Contractor wherever possible, if skill and working ability permit without increasing the ultimate cost of the work and improvement to the Local Improvement District, the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District and its officers.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by a check payable to said Central Contra Costa Sanitary District and certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten (10%) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or by a bond for said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify, before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions. The proposal shall be made out on the form to be furnished prospective bidders, a copy of which is incorporated with the specifications.

Said proposals or bids shall be delivered to the Clerk of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District on or before April 12, 1951, at the hour of 8:00 p.m., of said date, at the office of said Central Contra Costa Sanitary District at 1822 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Walnut Creek, Contra Costa County, State of California, said time being not less than ten (10) days from the time of the first publication or posting of said Notice. Bids will be opened on said day and hour. The District Board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or bids, should it deem this necessary for the public good, and also the bid of the bidder who has been delinquent or unfaithful in any former contract with the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

All bids shall be submitted on the understanding that all work thereunder shall be done pursuant to the Improvement Act of 1911 and that all of the applicable requirements thereof shall be made a part hereof, of the Local Improvement District proceedings, the bonds and the contract.

DATED: this 22nd day of March, 1951.

H. M. SMITTEN
Secretary
Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, County of Contra Costa, State of California.

O-84, Orinda Sun, March 30, April 6, 1951.

Community Church Theme—Results Of Easter Faith

The consequences of Easter faith will be the concern of Orinda Community Church worshippers during the weeks ahead as they gather at the 11 o'clock hour each Sunday.

This Sunday Rev. Fred Morrow will conduct the morning service, assisted by C. Ray Fowler, youth assistant, and will open the post-Easter series with a sermon on the theme "Remember Eternity."

The choir whose inspiring participation in the community Easter service gained so many favorable comments continues to sing under Mrs. Popovich's direction. Mrs. Harold Parker will serve as substitute organist for this service.

The Rev. Mr. Morrow is conducting a campaign to make explicit the friendliness that members of the congregation feel but too often fail adequately to express. At the same time he is urging visitors to come at least half-way in expecting and offering fellowship.

Boys and girls and young people return again Sunday to the usual 9:30 - 10:30 period for Christian instruction in the various Sunday church school departments. All ages are accommodated from four years through the high school age.

An additional opportunity for high school young people is to be found at 7 p.m. Sunday, when the Pilgrim Fellowship meets with Fowler and parent counsellors.

Full House at Easter Service Held at Theater

A completely full house celebrated the Easter festival at the Orinda Theater last Sunday when the Orinda Community Church held its seventh annual service there.

Outstanding choral work of the two choirs, with accompaniment o. Virginia Baker at the organ and a special instrumental quartet, contributed to the enthusiasm of the congregation, while Dr. Stuart Leroy Anderson's sermon, "Now is Christ Risen," was both thoughtful and inspiring.

Twenty-four new members were received into the church at a special candlelight Communion Service Thursday of last week. Others will be received at a service in the near future.

GARDEN SHOW WATERFALL

A roaring 32-foot waterfall, patterned after Triple Falls, one of California's famed natural attractions, will be among scenic features of the 19th annual California Spring Garden Show April 27-May 4 in the Oakland Exposition Building.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION FOR A LAND USE PERMIT BY THE CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION UNDER PROVISIONS OF ORDINANCE NO. 382

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Contra Costa County Planning Commission will give consideration to the application of Mrs. K. H. Bennett for a use permit.

Said application is to modify provisions of Section 4 Subdivision F Subsection 6 of the provisions of Ordinance 382 as hereafter set forth, namely: Wants to eliminate set back.

Property is located on the following maps which appear as Subsections 9 of Section 3 of Ordinance 382.

Brief description of property: Lies at the north end of Charles Hill Road about 400 ft. North of Junction of Soule Road and Charles Hill Road.

The time and place of said hearing will be in Room 210 Hall of Records, Martinez, California, April 10, 1951, 8:00 P.M.

G. F. McCORMICK, Secretary
Contra Costa County
Planning Commission

O-85, Orinda Sun, March 30, 1951

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WE STILL HAVE plenty of garden tractors on hand so feel free to stop by at your convenience and look over our assortment.

With Spring in full swing start making plans to attend the 19th annual California Spring Garden Show at the Oakland Auditorium opening April 27.

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Home and Garage Permits Issued

Five residence and garage permits were issued in Orinda area the week ending March 16, and three miscellaneous type construction permits were granted owners.

Residence-garage o.k.'s were granted as follows:

Hancock Construction Company, owner and builder, Lot 109, Hillcrest and Overhill, Moraga Del Orinda No. 4, estimated cost, $8,640.

Lawrie Construction Company, Lafayette, owner and builder, Lot 153, Donna Moraga way and El Camino Moraga, Moraga Del Rey No. 2; estimated cost, $9,540.

Lovick B. Pearce, San Francisco, Lot 15, Oak Drive and Moraga Highway, Moraga Woodlands No. 1; Hancock Construction Company, Lafayette, listed as builders.

Karl Shuttenhelm, Lafayette, owner, Lot 147, Van Ripper Lane and Lombardy Lane, Sleepy Hollow No. 2; H. L. Negley, Lafayette, listed as builder; estimated cost, $9,240.

C. Z. Maehler, owner, Lot 25, Meadow Lane, Moraga Mead, estimated cost, $8,658, M and M. Construction Company, Berkeley, named as builders.

Owner and Builder R. E. Wadsworth, Orinda, was issued a permit for a garage addition at No. 24 Brookside Road, Moraga Estates, stimated cost, $816.

A residence addition o.k. was granted T. Freedman, Orinda, owner and builder, Lot 27, Block D, No. 37 Vallecito Lane, Orinda Park Terrace. Cost estimate was $1,680.

Permission to build a garage was given W. H. Simms, Lafayette, owner, Lot 10 ,Tara Road and Nonie Road, Tara Brook, J. Bailey, Lafayette, is builder, and the cost estimate was $1,284.

Building permits issued in Orinda area for the week ending March 9, totaling $46,776, are as follows:

Owner and Builder Garry Grover, Lafayette, Lot 16, Greenwood Court, Rheem Highlands, estimated cost $11,400.

Owner W. L. Platt, Oakland, Lot 289, Sleepy Hollow Lane and Normandy Lane, Sleepy Hollow No. 3, builder, Christensen and Lyons, Oakland, cost estimate $11,434.

Owner and Builder Lawrie Construction Company, Lafayette, Lot 154, Donna Maria Way and El Camino Moraga, Moraga Del Rey No. 2, estimated cost, $9,612.

Owner and Builder T. Courtright and Son, Orinda, Lot 49, La Madronal and El Toyonal, Orinda Park Terrace, estimated cost, $10,215.

A. Elkinton was granted a permit for adding to his residence at No. 11 Lone Hill Road and Manor Road, Orinda; builder, Christensen and Lyons, Oakland; estimated cost $3,820.

The two carport permits, for $400 and $540 estimated cost, respectively, were granted to Owner J. E. Miller, 72 Acacia Road, and Owner and Builder Ralph A. Potter, Lot 15, Block 1, El Toyonal and El Rincon, Orinda Park Terrace. Courtright and Sons of Orinda will build the carport for Miller.

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LEGAL NOTICE

In the Municipal Court of the City Of Oakland
County of Alameda, State of California
SUMMONS
Action No. 8753

MERCHANTS COLLECTION ASSOCIATION OF OAKLAND, in which firm name and style George B. Fink is doing business.

Plaintiff

vs.

ARTHUR F. SISTERNA, HARRIET SISTERNA, also known as MRS. ARTHUR F. SISTERNA, First Doe and Second Doe

Defendant

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

Arthur F. Sisterna, Harriet Sisterna, also known as Mrs. Arthur F. Sisterna, First Doe and Second Doe,

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR AND ANSWER the Complaint filed in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff in the MUNICIPAL COURT of the CITY OF OAKLAND, County of Alameda, State of California, within TEN days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within said County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT UNLESS YOU SO APPEAR AND ANSWER as above directed, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal this 17th day of November, 1950.

FRED ANDERSON
Clerk of the Municipal Court
(Seal)
By M. F. SHEEHAN
Deputy Clerk
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O-76, Orinda Sun, March 23, 30, April 6, 13, 20, 27, May 4, 11, 18 and 25, 1951.

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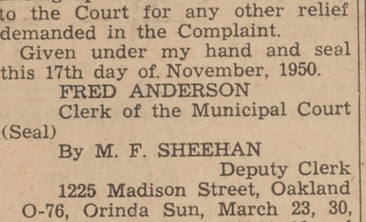

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STORK CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Libby of Van Ripper Lane are the proud new parents of a 7 lb., 15 oz. son, born at Providence Hospital, March 19. Howard James Jr. has a 2 year old sister, Mary.

Buchter to Draw Plans for J.C. Science Building

Architect Jack Buchter of Orinda has been instructed by the Contra Costa Junior College Board of Trustees to prepare plans and specifications for the proposed physical and life science building to be erected on the East Campus near Pacheco.

His fee will be eight per cent of the contract cost.

Federal funds in the form of a $30,000 loan to cover cost of architect's plans have been authorized for the building.

Attn: Gardeners Don't Miss This

Attention garden lovers and green thumbers!

The garden cart of starter plants, cactus gardens and indoor garden bowls will be hard to resist at the Circus Luncheon given by Pandora Chapter of the Children's Home Society.

It's Tuesday, April 10 at the Diablo Country Club. Call Mrs. R. P. Rasmussen, Orinda 2874, for reservations.

Happy Birthday to You

St. Patrick's Day was the occasion for birthday parties in Orinda. The wearing of the green was commemorated by four young Orindans.

SUSAN DUNSHEE was eight years old. Her guests enjoyed lunch, and then the play "Mr. Dooley, Jr." at the East Bay Children's Theater. Those joining her were Joyce Bailey, Joan Eberhart, Patty Wyatt, Dianne Kersten, Lynn Loveland, Janet Lucas, Linda Mitchell, Cheryl Werta, Susan Shilling, Cathy Brown and Priscilla Dunshee.

JILL TAYLOR celebrated her seventh birthday, the highlight of which was a merry-go-round cake.

TIM MALONEY was 10 years old and had friends to help celebrate with lunch and movies. Those joining him were Douglas Federighi, Michael Federighi, Edward Maloney, Terry Maloney, Tim Barrett, Tom White, Don White, Michael Donovan, Billy Clement, Michael Wilmar, Peter Cooper, John Ortland, Dan Ortland, Bill Ortland, Jerry Gillivan, Michael Gillivan, Jim Sweet, Dennis Stittler and Jock Bannister.

BILLY SPENGLER, 55 Lost Valley Drive, celebrated his 13th birthday by inviting a few friend for ice cream and cake. After refreshments the boys went to Berkeley for an afternoon of ice skating. Billy's guests were Bill Ellermeyer, Jim Delos, Jeff Roden, Peter St. Hill, Terry Ginsburgh, Phil Hunter and Jack Grey.

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IF you are interested in an outstanding private camp for your child this summer, be certain to contact Mrs. Ben Randall at 6 Valley View Dr., Orinda, or phone Thornwall 3-8344 in Berkeley. Movies of the LAUREL GLEN SUMMER CAMP will be shown at her home in the near future. You will also have the opportunity of meeting and talking with Allan Medlen, one of the directors. He's very anxious to tell you all about

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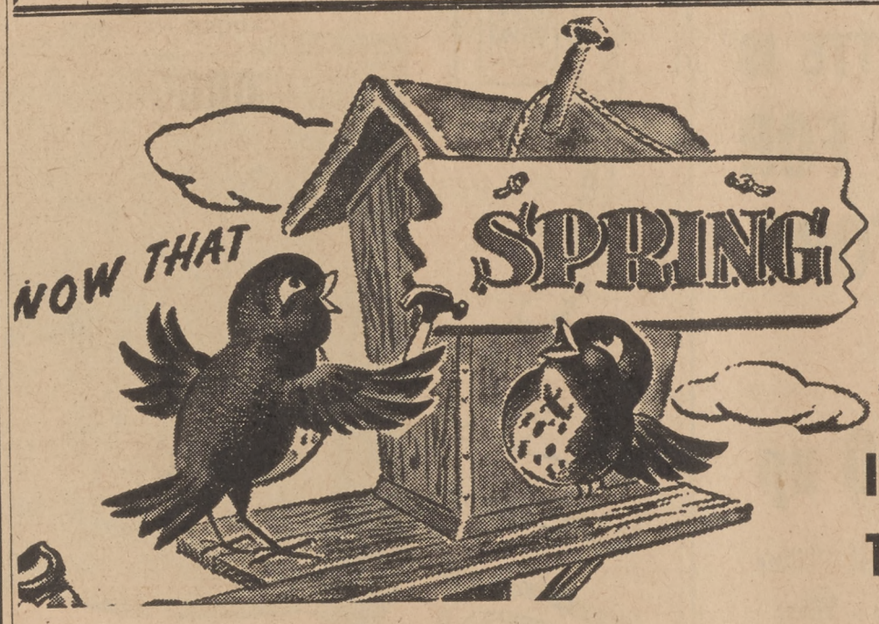

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I must remember to thank the telephone company for giving me such a pleasant-sounding telephone number like Orinda 2585. Have you noticed how they spread the fives around? They sure must have been long on fives that day! Now, if I haven't made myself quite clear: Orinda 2585 is the telephone number of Orinda Hardware. In fact, Orinda 2585 is the telephone number of your home town hardware store — Orinda Hardware — located in Orinda at the Crossroads, and is run by a short, fat, bald-headed guy named Frank (sometimes called "Chubby").

Well, I'm Frank, and my telephone number is Orinda 2585.

WE SURE TAKE PRIDE in Orinda Hardware. Why, we even carry "Pride" at Orinda Hardware. Pride is a wonderful trait to have, but boy!!! when you can put it in a bottle and sell it for $1, that's something for the papers.

"Pride" is made by the Johnson Wax Company and will give you the richest, longest-lasting wax finish you have ever seen on wood.

Now you can wax furniture without rubbing — with "Pride." It's a free-flowing liquid that actually coats furniture with a smooth, glowing surface of tough, protective wax.

Just spread it on (did I hear someone say, Oh! brother!) — let it dry, then wipe it lightly. It leaves a hard, dry finish, with no sticky oils to catch dust.

What "Car Plate" is to a car, "Pride" is to furniture. If you haven't used "Car Plate" yet, you'll have to wait until some other time for me to tell you about it. I'm out of breath now. Whew!

THESE WARM, SUNNY DAYS sure are a reminder that Spring is here. I really don't need a reminder myself, because my red flannel underwear has been itching for weeks now. When that happens — Spring is here!

To Orindans, springtime means clean-up time, fix-up time, and paint-up time. Springtime is color-time, too. And when you mention color, all I can think of is that swell Boysen paint and its thousands of colors.

Yes, I said thousands of colors. When you buy paint at your home town hardware — Orinda Hardware — you have over 2345 colors of paint to choose from, and in any finish you desire: flat, semi-gloss, high gloss, etc. Also, we have 1345 colors of blond wood stains.

If you are color-minded, it's Boysen Colorizer for you. There is no mixing at home, or waiting for the factory to mix the paint for you. Name your color and you walk out with it.

Better yet, telephone for the color you want (did I ever tell you our telephone number is Orinda 2585?) and we'll deliver it "free for nothing" (the delivery, not the paint).

NOW THAT I HAVE CONFUSED you this far, perhaps I should soothe you by whispering softly: 2585, 2585, 2585. Or maybe you'd rather have me sing, "Happy 2585 to you," "Happy 2585" — no, that's out. I do enough "hog calling" on the third Friday of every month. Ask the Square Dancers.

However, 2585 is a good number to keep near the telephone, because, if you need a plumber, or a carpenter, we can find one for you. If you need a small boy to do a man's work, we know a lot of small boys.

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Fluoridation of Water Supply Remains Uncertain, E.B.M.U.D. Informs Chamber

Fluoridation of the water supply here is still a big question-mark, according to the East Bay Municipal Utility District.

In response to a query on the subject, Secretary Fred Peglow of the Lafayette Chamber of Commerce has received a recent E.B.M.U.D. statement on the district's position regarding any fluoridation of the East Bay water supply.

NINE POINTS are listed in the statement, which was sent to Peglow by J. P. Gustafson, E.B.M.U.D. representative in this area. They are:

"1. — The district engineering staff has for several years been familiarizing itself with the fluoridation proposal. In this regard, most of the information available has been in the nature of articles appearing in the various technical journals.

"2. — **DISTRICT ENGINEERS** are watching closely the experiments that are being conducted in various parts of the United States, notably the surveys at Kingston and Newburgh, New York, which are continuing over a 10-year period.

"3. — It is our understanding that these experiments, conducted as a long-range, scientifically controlled research project, have not as yet been concluded, and therefore the potential value of fluoridation or any possible unfavorable long-range effects have not as yet been determined.

"4. — **IT APPEARS** to our organization that among the complications involved is the fact that fluoride-containing compounds are extremely toxic and, therefore, extreme caution must be exercised in the use of this chemical to prevent fluorosis, which in time may cause a severe mottling of the teeth.

"5. — Because of the wide cariation in individual water consumption resulting from the fluctuations in temperature between widely separated parts of the area served by the utility district, it would appear that residents in the warmer areas of the district would receive considerably larger dosages of fluoride than those residents of the cooler section. This problem of temperature variation has been given considerable attention in some of the technical writings on this subject.

"6. — Since, to our knowledge, fluoridation has not been adopted by any water department approaching the size of the utility district, it is impossoble to evaluate the potential problems to industry as a result of the change in the chemical analysis of the water.

"7. — **THE UTILITY DISTRICT** is not, therefore, at this time prepared to endorse the fluoridation proposal. Some of the reasons for this decision are included above.

"8. — Should the process ultimately be proved to be beneficial and absolutely safe, it would appear that the responsibility for the establishment of standards of application and control, together with the cost of the fluoridation process and the assumption of responsibility in the event of legal action, should properly be borne by the appropriate departments of health having jurisdiction within the areas served by the utility district.

"9. — Under such conditions it would appear that the participation of the utility district should be limited to making available the facilities for the introduction of fluoride compounds into the water."

Parents Group Plans Meeting

Lee Russell, principal of the new Las Lomas school being built by the Acalanes District south of Walnut Creek, disclosed that the Las Lomas Parents' Committee, organized to discuss school problems with school officials, has proposed a second meeting of all Las Lomas parents to be held Wednesday at Acalanes cafeteria.

At its recent meeting the Parents' Committee examined the place of history in the school curriculum, initiated a move to organize a regular parent group to promote the new school and reviewed plans for registration of new students for this Fall's classes.

Final registration, a consultation of student, parent and a school counselor, will take place for Las Lomas pupils April 10 and 11. Preliminary registration in which students are to have indicated subject preferences and been given prognosis tests is being completed now.

Canyon Cubs Ready for Softball

Canyon-Moraga Cub Pack 57 committeemen and den mothers met recently at the home of Mrs. J. E. Hammond in Moraga to discuss plans for the pack's coming softball league activities.

Three new committeemen were named: Bill Ross and John Hammond of Moraga and Claude Seeds of Canyon. Seeds will be institutional representative.

THE PACK met at Moraga School for its first practice under direction of Coaches Ross, Allen Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Seeds.

WEARING their new green and white jerseys, Pack 57's first softball league game was played Saturday against Danville Pack 36, at Moraga School. Despite the resplendent uniforms, Pack 57 was defeated, 21-2. Coach Bill Ross and Assistant Coach Ruth Seeds also wore new jerseys and caps.

At last month's pack meeting two new cubs were inducted into the pack—Michael Whitman and Ronnie Scholin, both of Canyon, and the ceremonies took place on Ronnie's birthday. At the time the pack was informed by Cubmaster John Shally that the Canyon Civic Club, which sponsors Pack 57, had voted to purchase the pack flag and the American flag, the standards for which will be made by the Canyon Boy Scouts.

THE PACK MEETING held recently at Moraga school was well attended. Each den acted out a skit. Canyon Den 1 depicted in pantomime Mr. and Mrs. Newlywed in their honeymoon car—which was imaginary except for four blanket-covered cubs who represented the four wheels.

Moraga Den 2 took part in a Truth or Consequences act, each boy having to pay a silly consequence for not answering very simple questions. Canyon Den 3 put on a fashion show, modeling the latest in what the ladies are wearing—from bathing suits to formals.

As this was the first anniversary of Pack 57, three cakes, each with one candle were brought in and the boys sang "Happy Birthday to Us."

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Assistants Annouced For Home Nursing Setup

Mrs. Donn Court has announced appointment of Mrs. Neill C. Cornwall as her assistant on the Red Cross Committee for Nursing Services, in charge of enrolling civilians for home nursing courses.

Mrs. Coleman Huntley of Orinda and Mrs. Ralph Phillips of Diablo are in charge of enrolling nurses. Obtaining equipment and halls for classes is being handled by Mrs. Mary McNeill and Mrs. P. D. Bowley of Lafayette, and Mrs. B. F. Tofflemire of Lafayette is in charge of nurses for defense.

Civil Air Patrol Training Program Set for Sunday

Mt. Diablo Flight of the Civil Air Patrol, stationed at Buchanan Field, will hold its regular training program at the Centerville Airport this Sunday, starting at 10 a.m.

Commanding Officer E. O. Musser of Canyon invites the public to attend as spectators. Among the activities of the day will be a simulated search and rescue mission, first aid, communications and practice message drop from planes.

Refreshments will be available.

Anyone interested in aviation is welcome to join the Civil Air Patrol. The Mt. Diablo Flight meets at Buchanan Field every Thursday evening.

Redwood Heights Group Elects New Officers

The Redwood Heights Road Association met at Canyon Hall last week. Plans were completed for road improvement this spring.

The following officers were elected to serve for the coming year:

President Patrick King, Vice-President Bob Atkinson and Secretary-Treasurer Clyde Engle. Albert Reiter was named to serve with King and Atkinson on an advisory committee.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

The executive board of the Contra Costa County Apprenticeship Council met Wednesday at 12:30 p.m. at the Venetian Club, Martinez.

Time Comments on Kefauver, Mobs

Pertinent comment by Time magazine was made recently regarding the Kefauver committee's investigations and hearings.

"Over the years," Time stated, "the mobs' money has bought the men who do the arresting sometimes even the men who do the judging. Armed with income-tax reports made available to them by President Truman himself, the committee grilled every sheriff and police executive they could find. It was not a pretty showing."

The March 12 issue of Time also declared:

"If Kefauver's only finding was that some questionable characters had made money out of gambling, few U. S. citizens could work up much moral indignation. Most could discern little moral distinction between plunging on the commodity market or a slot machine, between betting at a legal parimutuel window or at a handbook. Furthermore, the only people gangmen seem to shoot these days are other gangmen. But every citizen could get alarmed over the inevitable result of their drive to power and riches. Equipped with inexhaustible supplies of fresh green cash, they have used it unstintingly to buy immunity from the rule of law, and to corrupt the men who are sworn to uphold it."

(For an excellent presentation, we recommend reading of this "cover article"—so called because Senator Kefauver's picture is on the front cover—in the March 12 issue of Time.—Editor.)

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Entertainment Given At Stoneman Hospital

Recent entertainment for hospitalized soldiers at Camp Stoneman was provided by Marianne Malley, Gloria Dezzani, Greta Steffin, Betty Schaefer, Rosemary Williams and Jean Grimes.

Another day Mrs. Donn Court, Red Cross chapter entertainment and education chairman, presented Jay Bedsworth of Tunnel Inn in magic acts, with Barbara Leeds as his pianist and June Wellman singing. The Canyon Women's Club served refreshments.

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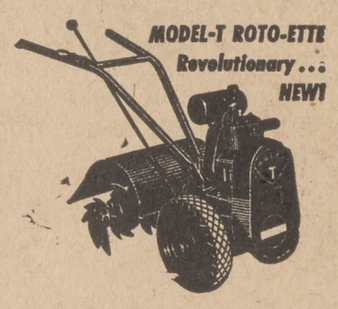

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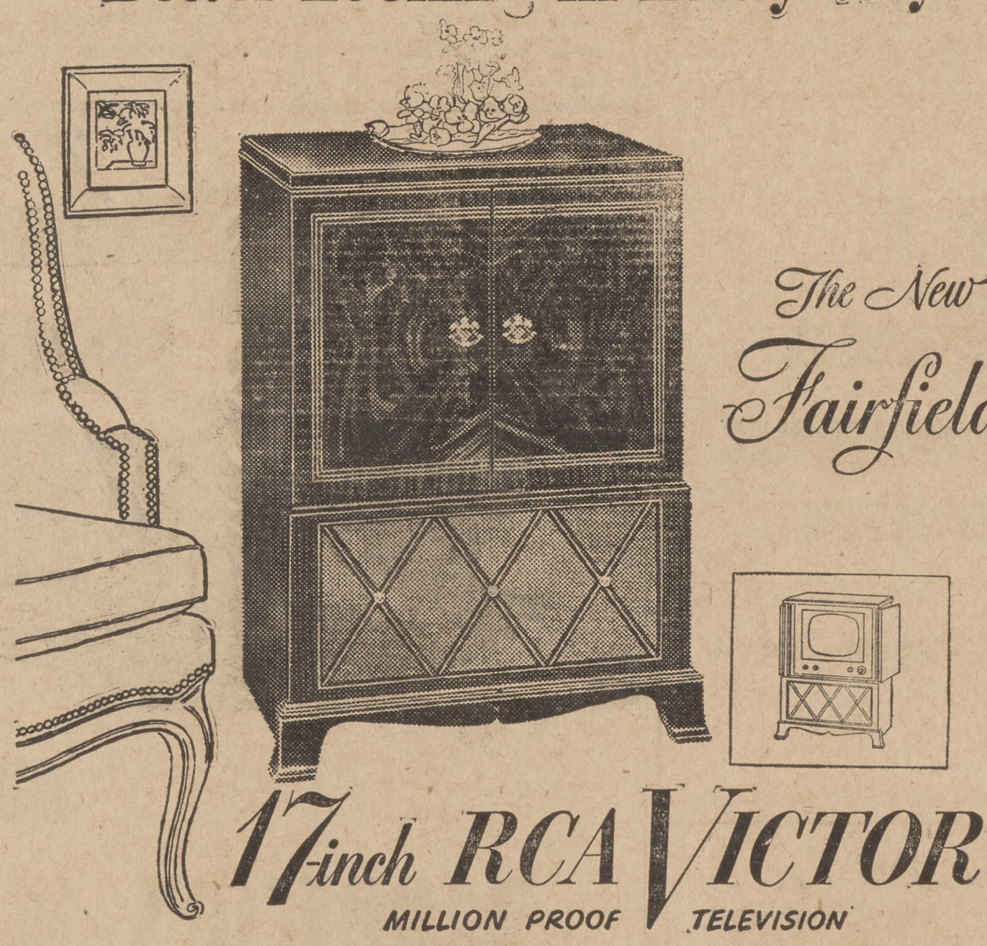

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Dons-Richmond Today in Practice Windup

Acalanes' Dons wind up their 1951 practice baseball schedule today when they meet up with the strong nine of Richmond High on the local field, starting at 3:15 p.m.

The Dons have played a tough practice schedule and have had a tough time hitting the winning column.

STRENGTH of the Dons has been in flashes of hitting power, which may stand them in good stead when the league opens next week.

In the first game with Richmond, two weeks ago, the Dons outhit their opponents 10 to 7 only to end up on the short end of a 13-6 count, largely the result of errors and too many bases on balls.

THE VARSITY SQUAD which will take to the field next Friday against Albany High in the league opener, at Acalanes, has been announced by Coach Erwin Mattson as follows: Catchers:* Dick Fey, Andy Monsen.

Pitchers: *Bob Borghesani, Bob Westlund, Richard Ting.

1st Base: *Bob Fox.

2nd base: Al Peronatto, *Jerry Henderson.

Shortstop: *Gregg Williams, Mike Klement.

3rd base: *John Bowron.

Outfield: *Bob Winkenbach, *Jerry Macauley, Bob Garrett, *Kay Dana and Bill Littlefield.

*Indicates probable starting lineup.

Sideline Slants

Cub Scouts, Grade Schools Start Using 9-Inch Ball in Their Diamond Contests

By ERWIN MATTSON

IT SEEMS that there is a definite trend on in grade schools and such organizations as Cub Scouts to use a nine-inch ball in their games of baseball.

The larger softball has been used almost exclusively for some time and hardball has been a difficult transition for the players to make.

The nine-inch ball is rubber-covered and the players get used to the smaller ball.

The Cub Scouts of the area have a league using the nine-inch ball and will have a grand finale in a series of games just prior to the ending of school. Final events are scheduled for the Acalanes High School grounds.

THE MARTINEZ CAMPUS of the Contra Costa Junior College made a good showing in its game with Stockton Junior College on a recent afternoon at the Alhambra High School grounds. The local J.C. boys did some fine hitting and came up with some sparkling play afield.

Two Dons from last year's team, George Guppy and Clark Gelhaus, held down first string positions.

George Guppy looked good at first base and had a good day with the bat, as he had one for three to show for the afternoon's play.

Clark Gelhaus held down center field in good style and got two hits in five times at the plate.

Hugo Boschetti, last year's mentor at Alhambra High, is coaching the J.C. nine.

ONE OF THE amazing things has been how quickly the baseball field dried out after the recent rains.

A five-foot drop from the north to the south edge of the field is not noticeable to the eye but provides wonderful drainage and makes the field playable in short order after rains.

New infield dirt has been applied recently and has put the Acalanes diamond in the Triple-A class.

RUMORS have been floating around concerning a laminated baseball bat which is supposed to be practically unbreakable.

Bat breakage is a problem, and an expensive one.

I have heard of bats being made of rubber and aluminum.

The laminated bat, consisting of strips of wood glued together, seems to be a plausible one.

Dame Rumor also has it that the big bat companies have bought up the rights and will not market it, as it is too durable.

One thing is certain, and that is that top grade bats have been a scarcity since 1942, when the armed services bought up a huge stock of bats.

That, combined with a fire in a large company's stock yard, created a shortage.

Wood must be seasoned for several years before it is ready for the bat industry, and only good, straight grain wood makes top bats, with the result that they become expensive items.

Livermore Nine Edges Dons, 7-5

Acalanes varsity baseball nine dropped a 7-5 decision to the Livermore Cowboys in a game at Livermore Wednesday afternoon.

Dons grabbed an early 5-0 lead when they tallied twice in the first and three times in the third, when Bob Winkenbach smashed a well hit ball over the fence in deep center with two on.

Livermore did the scoring from then on, however, also using the home run as a weapon when Bill Spooner, Livermore chucker, hit one over the left fielder's head with the bases loaded early to make it 4-5.

In the fifth the Cowboys tallied three more.

The two teams meet in a return match on the local field next Tuesday at 3:15.

Spring for Sure! Proof Offered in Schedule of Dons

Spring sports program for Acalanes swings into high gear next week with all teams getting into action.

Baseballers open their league play next Friday, hosting Albany High on the local diamond, with the umpire calling "Play ball!" at 3:15 p.m.

The varsity reserves play Livermore here next Tuesday.

The tennis and swim teams travel to Palo Alto, while the track team meets Alhambra and John Swett on the local track next Thursday. Meet time is 3 p.m.

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SPORTS

Champ Yanks Bow To Oaks, Seals

By ERWIN MATTSON

I had the good fortune to see the Oakland ball club meet up with the World Champions, more popularly known as the New York Yankees, in a game played at the Oaks Park last Saturday afternoon.

One thing that surprised me was the relatively small attendance — small from the point of view that one expected a sellout. The management had part of the outfield roped off for an anticipated overflow crowd.

But a number of bleacher seats remained vacant and box sets were available up to game time.

AFTER WATCHING the game it wasn't difficult to realize the reason for the lack of a sellout.

Manager Casey Stengel started his top performers and they literally waltzed through the first four innings before being relieved by some of the rookie hands.

THE VETERANS are evidently saving themselves for the pennant race which starts next month.

Jolting Joe DiMaggio hit an infield ball and trotted to first, arriving there safely when Oaks shortstop Ray Hammrick heaved the throw into the dirt.

A good number, 20,000-odd to be exact, saw the Yanks and Seals perform the night before, with the Seals coming out on the long end of an 18-6 score The Oaks, not to be outdone, won 9 to 6 in the Saturday encounter.

FANS WERE SOON appraised of the fact that the Yanks were on exhibition and not out to win. Players were taking no chances on injury and were doing things the easy way.

The Oaks, from their early showings, appear to have some capable throwers on hand but need help in the outfield and infield before they can be pennant contenders.

Chances are that considerable help will be coming once the major leagues begin cutting squads.

Don Netters Lose To S.F. School

Acalanes racquet swingers string of four consecutive wins came to an abrupt end Wednesday when they lost to Washington High of San Francisco 3-2.

Norm Parson won his match 6-1, 7-5 and teamed up with Bob Wallis for the Dons' other win 6-0, 6-1.

The other three matches went to the city lads and as a result the Acalanes team suffered their first setback of the season.

Acalanes Reserves Whip Livermore

Acalanes Reserves nine capitalized on a wild throw to romp home with what proved to be the winning run against Livermore Wednesday afternoon at the Acalanes field.

It was all tied up in the final frame at 7 all with "Buzz" Ferrarese on second and Mike White occupying first base.

On the first pitch to the next batter, White was trapped off first and in the ensuing play the Livermore first baseman made a bad throw. Ferrarese had taken third and scrambled home for the winning run.

Ferrarese had two for two as did Eddie Hunt at bat, while Rick Johnson did some fine work the four innings he toiled on the mound.

The varsity reserves tackle the Livermore lads again when they travel to Livermore next Tuesday afternoon.

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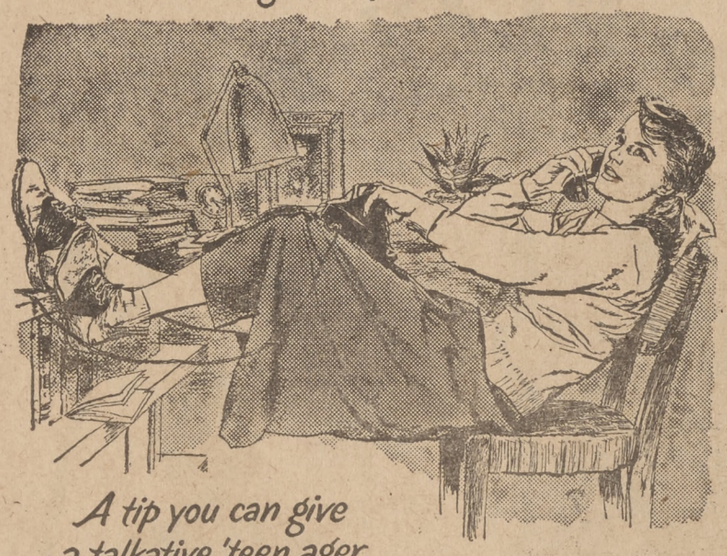

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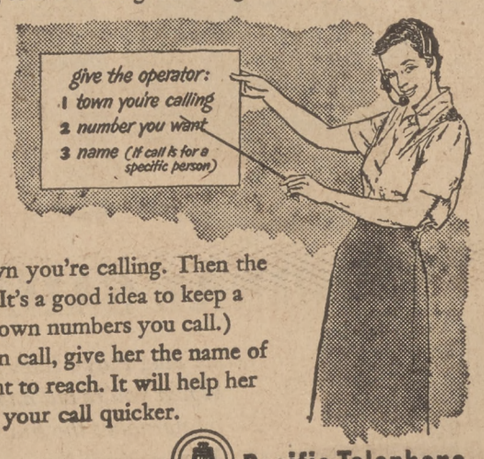

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Quaker Clothing Drive Will Begin Here Next Week

Next week — Monday through Saturday—is the period for the annual Quaker clothing and shoes drive for overseas needy.

In both Lafayette and Orinda plans are all set for efficient collection of articles on the first step of their humanitarian journey sponsored by the American Friends Service Committee.

According to Frank and Alice Smith, Lafayette co-chairmen, the depository in Lafayette will be at the rear of the new Edward Book Shop next to Gaston Cleaner. The station will be open daily from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Mrs. H. C. Booth, Orinda general chairman, announces that the Orinda depository will be the clubhouse back of Orinda Community Church.

In both communities, school children are aiding by bringing the message of the drive to their parents.

KOREAN CIVILIANS will probably be the principal beneficiaries of this year's campaign, according to Mrs. Smith, who said the same high level of cooperation is expected as was the case last year, when service clubs, schools and churches "pitched in" to aid the drive.

Reports received by the local chairmen from the American Friends Service Committee show that comforting stories of recovery in Europe and Japan, illustrated with bright statistics, are well founded in considerable economic improvement.

But every traveler in France, Germany or Austria — which received shipments of A.F.S.C. clothing last year — has seen the wistful faces of the shabbily and scantily clad as they look into the brightly lighted shop windows filled with merchandise priced entirely out of reach for the majority of consumers.

Money must go first for food, and little is left for anything else. In some areas nearly 40 per cent of the people are estimated to be still in need of gifts of clothing.

SHIPMENTS OF NEW and used clothing were made last year from A.F.S.C. warehouses to six foreign countries and the United States. Most of the clothing shipped in the United States went to Indians in the southwest. Recently large shipments have been made to Korea.

In Austria, clothing gifts enable many young people to continue working who would otherwise have had to give up their jobs as their street clothing wore out and their earnings did not permit them to make replacements. Clothing gifts also went to children, orphans or part orphans, to refugees huddled in temporary shelters in camps or dormitories, war widows, returning prisoners of war, and to victims of flood, fire and earthquake.

THESE GIFTS, from many Americans, were collected in A.F.S.C. warehouses in various part of the country. Thousands of hours of labor were contributed by volunteers who sorted, folded, baled and wrapped these garments and materials for shipment overseas. For the first time in many years their efforts kept pace with the incoming gifts, and now the warehouse shelves are almost bare.

Americans are urged to send their good used clothing to the A.F.S.C. The need is still great, despite the rather widespread notion that it is not.

CLOTHES collected in this area are sent to the Quaker House in Berkeley, where buttons are sewed on and tears are mended. Shoes are sent to San Quentin, where the inmates make any necessary repairs.

Then the articles are shipped to A.F.S.C. warehouses, on the next step of their journey overseas.

The local chairmen urge that you give your no-longer-needed woolens, shoes, soaps and sewing packets — needles, thread and pins — to the Friends' clothing drive April 2 through 7.

Jr. Horse Show Plans Announced

Joe Hallett of Lafayette, chairman of the Contra Costa County Horsemen's Association's Junior Horse Show Committee, announced today that the Sixth Annual Junior Horse Show will be held May 27 at the Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Grounds at Concord.

Entry blanks will be available to juniors 16 years of age and under.

Plans were formulated at a committee meeting last week.

Playshop at Work on 'Blithe Spirit'

Members of the Lafayette Playshop are hard at work as the dates for "Blithe Spirit" draw near. This Noel Coward comedy-farce will be presented at the Town Hall April 13, 14, 20 and 21 for the benefit of the Mt. Diablo Child Therapy Center.

The cast is composed of William McKee and Adrienne Sowers, as Mr. and Mrs. Charles Condomine; Jack Holder and Edith Lynn, as Dr. and Mrs. Bradman; Myrtle Morton as the medium, Madame Arcati; Marilyn Hansen as the spirit, Elvira; and Lyn McKee as Edith, the maid.

ZELDA ROBERTSON, who has been a member of the Playshop since its organization ten years ago, is directing the play. She has had experience in various phases of little theater work, including acting and make-up, as well as directing.

Zelda studied stage technique in Oakland under the Adult Education Program, and participated in workshop productions of the Oakland Community Players, during a leave of absence from the Lafayette group. In the Playshop, she has directed "Goodbye Again," and has appeared in a number of roles, a few of which are Mrs. Terrence in "Night Must Fall," and the mother in "Claudia."

Leroy Sowers, another charter member of the group, and Ted Simpson, who joined the Playshop last summer when he was cast as the minister in "You Touched Me," are constructing the stage set. The play requires one scene only, an interior of a gracious country home in England.

JOE CASTRO, whose versatility has been a great boon to the Playshop for a number of years, is handling the special effects in "Blithe Spirit." Chairs and vases and pillows must move about the stage, as though propelled by an invisible spirit.

Shirley Chalk, a newcomer to the group, is in charge of properties. She has had three years of experience with the Lower Rio Grande Little Theater in Texas, where she handled assignments in make-up and prompting, and took leading roles in plays such as "The Women" and "Petrified Forest."

And so the work goes. "Blithe Spirit" requires much preparation, but promises to be a rewarding and fascinating production.

Workers Enlist For Cancer Drive

Enlistment of volunteer workers and final preparations for the 1951 fund campaign of the American Cancer Society, to be held during April, has been completed by the Contra Costa County Branch, it was announced today by Mrs. James Hoey of Martinez, campaign chairman.

In the work of establishing district units throughout the county, Mrs. Hoey has been assisted by Vice Chairmen Mrs. Claire Schmidt of Richmond and Mrs. J. R. Lar Rieu of Walnut Creek.

Heading the campaign locally will be Mrs. W. W. Ornduff for Lafayette and Mrs. John L. Gompertz for Orinda.

Since education and early detection are two of the most important phases of cancer control, civic, business, educational and medical leaders throughout Contra Costa County have this year actively joined in the fight against this disease.

Citing the tremendous economic loss alone, county medical directors report that one out of every two family groups is directly affected by cancer. Congress, as a result of the rapid growth of the disease, has officially proclaimed April as "Cancer Control Month" and every effort is being made locally to afford everyone with an opportunity to acquaint themeselves with means to combat cancer.

Sixty per cent of all funds raised in the campaign remain with the local and state divisions with 25 per cent going for research and 15 per cent for educational work through the American Cancer Society, a strictly volunteer and nonprofit organization.

Start Investment Lectures Tuesday

A series of lectures on "Securities and Investments" will begin Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. at the Lafayette Veterans Memorial Building, Robert A. Nelson, director of distributive education for the Contra Costa Junior College, announced today.

The lectures are offered by the San Francisco Stock Exchange in cooperation with the junior college and are free to the public. No advance registration is necessary.

Carl Schick, public relations director of the stock exchange, will discuss "Securities Available for Investment" at Tuesday's meeting. Specialists from the stock exchange will give the other three lectures, to be held April 10, 17, and 24.

ELECTED FOR COUNCIL

Five teachers and the assistant county superintendent of schools will represent Contra Costa County in the Bay Section Council of the California Teachers Association in 1951-52. Betsy Pembroke of Acalanes Union High School was one of those elected.

Peck, Bohn On Committee

Lydell Peck of Lafayette was named to the executive committee and John A. Bohn of Orinda was appointed to the general committee of the 1951 Northern California Jefferson-Jackson Dinner, Chairman Thomas C. Lynch announced today.

Lynch, district attorney of San Francisco, said Democrats from 48 Northern California counties are expected to attend the Jefferson-Jackson Dinner on Monday, at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco.

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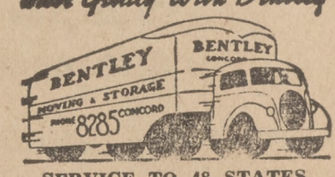

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Dessert-Bridge Today Will Aid Kids at Weimar

In order to continue their work of bringing pleasure to the more than 70 children at the Weimar T.B. Sanitarium, the Orinda Women for Weimar are having a dessert-bridge at the home of Mrs. John Parker on Camino Del Diablo at 1 p.m. today.

Mrs. Robert Diehl and Mrs. Lloyd Farrar delivered gifts of candy, cookies and toys to the children at Weimar on the Thursday before Easter. These gifts were selected and beautifully wrapped by Mrs. George Matey, who devotes much of her time talking and working for the children at Weimar.

Her assistants include Mesdames Robert Winters, L. L. Farrar, E. I. Spiegl, George Klement, Robert Diehl, Zach Montgomery, John Parker and George Vurek.

At present the women are searching for children's records (the youngsters enjoy cowboy songs the best) and 16-mm. silent films. Also many of the children who are ready to go home have nothing to wear, so clothing is being sought for them.

Another activity of this group is aid to the adult tuberculosis patients at county hospital.

With the new chest-disease wing open at the County Hospital and the expected need for additional beds for T.B. patients who are being discovered by the current mass x-ray survey, the group of women will have to work even harder to try to make life a little more pleasant for tuberculosis patients.

St. Leo's Plans Unique Fashion Show April 10

"Model Mothers" is the theme for St. Leo's annual spring luncheon and fashion show to be held April 10, 12:30 p.m. in the "transformed" school auditorium.

Mrs. Edward Morrill, chairman of the event, has arranged for an innovation which will bring back memories to some, and be of amusement to others.

Authentic creations of the "roaring twenties," carefully preserved by Mrs. Jackson Palmer's family, will be modeled by Mesdames Rollin Bunch, Salvatore Cierei, Thomas J. Haas and Harold V. Cusick.

Newlyweds to Live In New Orinda Home

Orinda has been chosen as home for newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Joseph Brase. They will be at their new home on Monte Vista Road on their return from their honeymoon in the South.

The bride, the former Barbara Jeanne McIntyre, is the daughter of Mrs. Jack P. McIntyre of Oakland. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin E. Brase of Beatrice, Neb.

The couple were married recently in the Central Lutheran Church of Oakland, with Rev. Alf Kraabel officiating. Attendants were Mrs. George Warner and Jack P. McIntyre, Jr., Barbara's brother.

Move Into New House

Carol and Bruce Anderson have moved into their new house on Miner Road.

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Orinda Here and There . . .

Found: Children's Birthday-Party Ideal Spot—At Sugar Plum Tree

Can you imagine a more delightful place anywhere in the world to celebrate a birthday party than in the new Sugar Plum Tree party area in the Children's Fairyland, Lakeside Park? So thought Nancy Mott of Orinda and all her guests — children and adults — when they celebrated her 10th birthday there March 17.

Following the party, refreshments that featured a carousel cake, and the opening of her many lovely gifts, Fairyland's "Duchess," Mrs. Victor Wetter, escorted Nancy and her guests through Fairyland, pointing out the interesting details of each story book scene.

Nancy's juvenile guests were Madelyn Sears, Mary McFarland, Karen Collings, Penny Marple, Judy and Peter Wiler, Ginger Ketsdever, Nelgene Herget, Roxine Huntley, Peter Yedidia, Chris Almond, Tommy Miles, Janet Lucas and Nancy's brother Bill.

Her grown-up guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marple and Miss Janice Marple and Mesdames George Penfield, Paula Collings, Morten Holm and Wayne Bode of San Francisco; Mrs. Reuben Hatherly, Mrs. Isabel Dingwall and Nancy's grandmother, Mrs. Madge Barnes, all of Oakland; Mrs. Daisy Kreissher, aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whitney of Berkeley, Nancy's brother Bill and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Penn Mott, Jr.

Mott, Oakland park superintendent, who dreamed up and executed the Children's Fairyland and got the interest and help of many organizations to further develop it, wants all Orinda and Lafayette children to know that they, too, without cost, may celebrate their birthdays as did Nancy around the Sugar Plum Tree in Fairyland.

Country Club Has Easter Egg Hunt

An Easter Egg Hunt for children and a buffet dinner in the evening for the adults were features of the Easter program at Orinda Country Club last Sunday.

The egg hunt was staged on the 16th fairway, with prizes awarded the finders of marked eggs. Nearly 300 persons attended the informal buffet dinner served from 5 to 8 that evening.

St. Leo's Guild To Meet Thursday

Thursday will be the next regular meeting of St. Leo's School Guild at 12 noon in the school auditorium.

During the business meeting a report of the nominating committee will be given and election of the Board of Directors will be held. Final reports on the annual spring luncheon and fashion show to be held April 10 will be discussed and plans will be formulated for a Day of Recollection.

This Dinner Topic Was Animals, Birds, Parks

Mr. and Mrs. William Penn Mott, Jr., entertained Mr. and Mrs. Andy Blalock and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean at dinner last week.

Bean is director of Brookfield Zoo in Chicago and came here to meet in an advisory capacity with a committee of our State Park Arboretum in Durant Park, where it is planned to feature many more animals as time goes on.

The three men had a grand time at this dinner party talking about parks, animals and birds.

Mrs. Wm. Patterson At Gamma Phi Meeting

Mrs. William Patterson of Orinda and Mrs. Clifford Nelle of Walnut Creek attended the province convention of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority March 9 and 10 at Reno, Nevada. Mrs. Patterson is a province director and represented the entire Northern California area, while Mrs. Nelle represented the Contra Costa alumnae group, of which she is the president.

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Hill 'N Dale Will Dine and Dance

Following cocktail parties, several hundred Hill and Dale members will attend their spring formal dinner and dance at Orinda Country Club tonight at 8 o'clock.

Executive committee members of the group are Messrs and Mesdames Robert Bridges, William Fleager, George Richardson, N. S. Dodge, Edgar Stewart and William J. Babcock.

Sections Meet Every Other Week

The Orinda Mothers Club bridge sections meet every first and third Friday. There are both morning and afternoon sections. The groups meet at homes of various Mothers Club members, refreshments are served. All are invited to attend and may do so by contacting Mrs. Joseph Downs, Orinda 8361. Canasta is also played.

The sections will next meet April 6. The morning group will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Maddox, 225 El Espiral. The afternoon group will meet at the home of Mrs. Jack Moylan, 21 El Gavilan.

Successful Food Sale By Santa Maria Women

The Easter Food sale given by the Santa Maria Women's Club at Frank's Orinda Hardware Store last Saturday surpassed the most hopeful expectations.

Mrs. Leo Ortland, chairman of the affair, wishes to extend the thanks of the club to all those who contributed so generously to the benefit, particularly to thank Frank Olsen, whose friendly cooperation did so much to further the success of the event.

Absurdia Ticket Sales Under Way

Mrs. Russell Gilwee announces ticket sales for Absurdia in Suburbia II will get under way April 3. April 20 and 21, Friday and Saturday nights at 8:00, are the dates that this production will be given at Acalanes High School auditorium.

Mrs. William Brock is co-chairman and the ticket captains are Mesdames William Longhurst, Valentine Brookes, Thomas Rodgers, W. C. Witter, Joseph Sheaff, W. B. Dunshee, M. W. Loveland, Norman F. Bailey, Norman Tuttle, Robert Lyman, Donald Williams, Frank Selelrs, C. E. Davies, Howard Lane, Randell Cook, William Snow and F. E. Ready.

St. Hills Return From Hawaii Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. St. Hill returned last Friday from a three-week trip to Hawaii.

It was a combination business and pleasure trip, and the St. Hills flew both ways. While there, Mrs. St. Hill took plane flights to the various islands in the group.

They made Honolulu their headquarters for about two weeks and spent a weekend at Kona Inn at Kaloa. This spot impressed them with its great beauty.

Wanted: Old Time Fiddler

Wanted: an old time fiddler for square dances, some good looking gams for a chorus line, three people who aren't afraid to make fools of themselves, a mammy singer, and any old what-have-you's hanging around. What for? Absurdia in Suburbia II, of course. See you at the Kick-off Party, April 2.

Shop at home — and save.

Nursery School Dance May 12th

Their annual Spring social event, an informal dinner dance to be held at Diablo Country Club the evening of May 12, is being planned by the Orinda Nursery School, according to Mrs. Vivian Unruh, president of the group.

Mrs. Lyle York is general chairman for the affair, with Gordon Heche and his orchestra slated to provide the music for the evening. Mrs. James Seaman is completing posters for the dinner dance, Mrs. George Adair to assist by distributing them.

Tickets will be five dollars a person. Those interested in attending are asked to call Mrs. Wallace Riddell or Mrs. Robert Kleya-Schoral. Mesdames Ned deLaveaga, Allen Ayres, B. A. Wright, Stewart Kimball, J. D. DeCosta, Robert Magill, Douglas Knight, George Mirriam, Edward Merrill and James Brown will assist in distribution of tickets.

Chit and Chat about Don and Donna

By MARY THIES

DID I HEAR somebody say school was dull? Boy, wait till I get my hands on them! Between doing extra homework that should have been in at the beginning of the quarter, and participating in extra activities such as the Junior-Senior Banquet, there isn't much spare time for anyone.

The Juniors have been working very hard ever since before Easter vacation on tonight's banquet. As you probably all know, they do everything from serving the food to providing the entertainment.

A few of the many kids from Orinda who have contributed their time and talents are Lois Galbraith, Kay Goodwin, Sven Groennings, Carole Jean Earle, Sally Fleager, John Bowron, Tom Tilton, Richard Rogers and Art Siler.

IT SEEMS EVERYBODY went somewhere over Easter and as I only had a limited space last week, here's some late news about who went where, and when.

Carmel seemed to be quite the popular place. Marilyn Orr and Pat Patton spent a couple of days there, while Ann Ward and Pat Gardiner spent a week in those peaceful surroundings! (From what I hear it's far from peaceful over Easter week, with kids from all over the Bay Area spending their vacation there!)

GALE McKINLEY spent her vacation at Santa Cruz and attended the show at the Cow Palace in San Francisco. I'm sure it wasn't the cows that interested her—could it have been that somebody with the initials T.B. was also there?

Los Angeles also attracted many Acalanes students, including Carol Jean Earle, Janet Morris and Beth Pickton.

Lions International is sponsoring a student speaker contest in which nine Acalanes students were chosen to participate. At the Orinda Lions Club meeting Wednesday night, Janet Chantler, Bob Burkett and Art Siler competed. I'm sure your speeches on "The American Voters' Responsibility" were well worth listening to. . . . . . .

Hey—did you know we have a talented artist in our midst? Anyone looking for good entertainment, contact Bill Sparling. I hear he's terrific on the harmonica!

TWO WEEKS AGO, this year's Senior Play, "We Shook the Family Tree," was given to an enthusiastic audience at Acalanes and was pronounced a complete success. Afterwards couples went to many parties and dances, including the Diablo Assemblies Dance held at the Diablo Country Club.

A few of the couples who attended this dance were Ann Bronson and John Bowron, Jayne Kirk and Bill Matheson, Jackie Irving and Jim Hall, Elaine Ranker and Richard Rogers, Ann Seulberger and Mike Klement, Judy Johnson and Bob Wallis and Kay Goodwin and Buzz Williams.

Well—as long as the paper insists on printing other news, I guess I'll have to stop here but I'll be back next week with more news about you and your friends.

Mrs. Mott, Mother Attend D.A.R. Confab

Mrs. William Penn Mott, Jr., and her mother, Mrs. Madge Barnes, attended and enjoyed the State Conference of the D.A.R. recently at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco.

Do you realize how much it costs when you go through the Tunnel to shop?

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, MARCH 30

Baseball — Richmond Varsity at Acalanes.

Swimming meet — Dons vs. Cal Frosh, at Berkeley, 10 a.m.

Golf — Dons vs. Richmond, at Orinda.

Moraga Valley Community Club, Moraga School.

Hill and Dale, formal dinner-dance, Orinda Country Club; dinner, 9-9:30 p.m.; dancing, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Clipper Club, Orchard Nursery, 8 p.m.

"Macbeth," Le Fevre Theater, St. Mary's College.

Little Symphony organizational meeting, Orinda Community Church at 7:45 p.m.

Junior-Senior Banquet, Acalanes High School, evening.

Shipmates, home of Joe and Peggy Creighton, 36 Moraga Via, 8 p.m.

Seafarers, home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fowler, 1 Hartford Road, evening.

Orinda Women for Weimar, dessert-bridge, home of Mrs. John Parker, Camino Del Diablo, 1 p.m.

Dramateurs, rehearsal for "Light Up the Sky," Lila Murphy Dance Studio, evening.

Santa Maria Church, children's choir practice, at the church, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31

Teatro para Ninos, Orinda School auditorium, 1 to 3 p.m.

Orioles, benefit food sale, Frank's Orinda Hardware.

Softball—Orinda Cub Pack 32 vs. Concord Cub Pack 46, Orinda Grammar School, 10 a.m.

"Macbeth," Le Fevre Theater, St. Mary's College.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1

Services at Orinda Community, St. Stephen's Episcopal, Santa Maria and Christian Science Churches.

Pilgrim Fellowship, Orinda Community Church, 7 p.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 2

Orinda Mothers Club, kickoff party for Absurdia in Suburbia II, Orinda School auditorium, 8 p.m.

Orinda School Board, Orinda Grammar School, 8 p.m.

Moraga Woodlands Association directors.

Acalanes Chapter, D.A.R., home of Mrs. Harvey Wehmeier, Powell Drive, Lafayette.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3

Boy Scout Troop 207, Scout Hut, 7:30 p.m.

Altar Guild, St. Stephen's Church.

Baseball—Livermore varsity reserves at Acalanes.

First of series of four weekly lectures on "Securities and Investments" by S.F. Stock Exchange in cooperation with Contra Costa Junior College, Veterans Memorial Building, Lafayette, 7:30 p.m.

Dramateurs, rehearsal for "Light Up the Sky," Lila Murphy Dance Studio, evening.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4

Explorer Post 300, Scout Hut, 7:30 p.m.

Rotary Club, Orinda Willows, 12:15 p.m.

Barbershoppers, Casa Orinda, 8 p.m.

Park Pool, 8 p.m.

College of the Pacific Band Concert, Acalanes High School, 8:15 p.m.

Diablo Highway Improvement Federation, Board of Directors, 7:30 p.m.

Dramateurs, rehearsal for "Light Up the Sky," Lila Murphy Dance Studio, evening.

Swimming meet—Dons at Palo Alto, 3:15 p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5

Boy Scout Troop 200, Scout Hut, 7:30 p.m.

Orinda Garden Club.

Chamber of Commerce, Casa Orinda, noon.

Orinda Highlands Association, Board of Directors.

Eighth and last Girl Scout area leadership class, Orinda Community Church.

Track meet—Dons vs. Alhambra and John Swett, at Acalanes, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6

Cub Pack 32, Orinda School, 7:30 p.m.

Orinda Mothers Club, bridge sections—morning group, 9:30 a.m.; afternoon group, 12:30 p.m.

Santa Maria Church, children's choir practice, at the church, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Dramateurs, "Light Up the Sky," Acalanes High School auditorium, 8:15 p.m.

Baseball—Albany varsity at Acalanes, 3:15 p.m.

Free Chest X-Ray—Vacant lot across from American Trust Company, Moraga Highway, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Here's Seafarer Cruise Chart to Harbor Tonight

The Seafarers will have another of their pleasant cruises this evening at the temporary home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fowler at 1 Hartford Road.

This road on the map in the booklet "Orinda Roads" is called South Point and comes into Valley Road. Since the booklet was published Valley Road has been changed to Charles Hill Road, right hand branch, and South Point to Hartford.

Go up Charles Hill Road, keeping to the right, to the top of the hill, and to Hartford on the right. The Fowler home is close to the corner on the left side of Hartford.

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